

M.A. First Semester

HS-7001: HISTORICAL METHOD: PRE-MODERN HISTORIOGRAPHIES

Teacher: Prof. Shireen Moosvi

No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

HISTORY AS A SCIENCE

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Meaning of History: Collection & Selection of data. Role of subjectivity in History and the “exact” sciences. E.H. Carr’s “historical facts”. Causation in history vs. accidents: Popper’s critique of “historicism”. Expansion of scope of history, as time and audience extend. Post-modern critiques of History.

UNIT-II

HISTORY AND OTHER SCIENCES

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1. Ancillary Sciences: Archaeology: Identification of ‘cultures’ from physical finds. Dating methods. Theory of Archaeology: Gordon Childe; “New Archaeology”. Other aids to History: Palaeography, Epigraphy, Numismatics, Diplomatic.
2. Auxiliary Sciences: Geography, Anthropology, Linguistics, Sociology, Economics, Political Science, Law, Philosophy, with cognate fields (esp. Historical Geography, Economic History, Intellectual History, Legal and Constitutional History). Influence of Mathematics and Statistics on Historical Method.

UNIT-III

HISTORY OF HISTORY (PRE-MODERN)

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1. Origins of historical narrative. Greek Historiography: Herodotus, Thucydides, Xenophon.
2. Latin: Tacitus. Chinese tradition: Ssuma-chien. Ancient India: Kalhana. Islamic historiography: Tabari, Ibn Khaldun. Medieval India: Barani, Abul Fazl.
3. Rise of Historical Criticism during the Renaissance in Europe (upto 1600). The effects of European “Enlightenment”.

Note: There will be three questions, one from each Unit.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

E.H. Carr	:	<i>What is History.</i>
M. Bloch	:	<i>The Historian’s Craft.</i>
W.H. Walsh	:	<i>Philosophy of History.</i>
Patrick Gardener	:	<i>Theories of History</i>

- J.W. Thompson : *History of Historical Writing.*
- R.G. Collingwood : *The Idea of History.*
- Le Roy Ladurie : *Territory of the Historian, Chapters 2,3 and 7*
- Jarzy Topoiski : *Methodology of History, esp. Parts V & VI*
- Irfan Habib : *Interpreting Indian History.*
- do - : *Prehistory*, pp.44-46.
- do - : *Indus Civilization*, pp.17-21.
- Shireen Moosvi : *Open Door in Indian History* (Presidential address to A.P. History, Congress).
- do - : 'Medieval Indo-Persian Historiography', *Different Types of History*, ed. Bharti Ray, 2009.
- Szuma Chien : *Selections from Records of the Historian* (ed.'a introd.).
- Romila Thapar : 'The Historical Ideas of Kalhana as Expressed in the *Rajtarangni*' *Historians of Medieval India*, ed. M. Hasan.
- Irfan Habib : Ziya Barani's Theory of the History of the Delhi Sultanate, *Indian Historical Review*, Vol.7,Nos.1-2.
- Peter Hardy, : *Historians of Medieval India: Studies in Indo-Muslim Historical Writings*, Chapter II.
- Irfan Habib : 'A Political theory for the Mughal Empire-A Study of the Ideas of Abul Fazl', *Proceedings of Indian History Congress, 59th Session, Patiala, 1998.*

HSM-7002: MODERN WORLD (1789-1871)

Teacher: Mr. M. K. Zaman

No. of Lectures: 40

UNIT – I

14

FRENCH REVOLUTION: 1789-99:

Revolution: Background and Initial Stage, 1789-1792:

Cahiers De Doleances. Estates General. Fall of the Bastille. Declaration of the Rights of Man & of the Citizen. August 4th Decrees and abolition of Feudalism. Kings Flight. Civil Constitution of the clergy. Constitution of 1791.

Jacobins (1792-94) and the Directory (1794-99)

Sansculottes. August 10, 1792. National Convention. Trial of the King. Robespierre. Reign of Terror. Thermidorean Reaction.

The Directory: Reorganisation of France. The Domestic and Foreign Policies of the Directory. The Rise of Napoleon Bonaparte Italian and Egyptian campaigns. Brumaire.

Napoleon Bonaparte . 1799-1814:

First Consul – Constitution of the year VIII.

Administrative Reforms.

Empire. The Continental System – its failure.

Fall of Napoleon.

UNIT-II

14

The Triumph of Reaction: 1815-1823:

Vienna Congress and the settlement.

The concert of Europe and its break down.

Metternich and his conservatism, and Reaction.

Movement for Social Revolution:

Revolution of 1848, its nature and significance.

Utopian Socialists: Charles Fourier, Robert Owen, and Saint Simon.

Karl Marx. Communist Manifesto.

Russia: 1815-1871:

Triumph of conservatism. Decembrist Movement.

Crimean War-1854-56 and its consequences.

Alexander II. Emancipation of Serfs. Other Reforms.

The Triumph of Free Trade:

Industrial Revolution in England (The Development of Railways)

The Triumph of the Policy of Free Trade

List and Industrialization of Europe

Imperialism of Free Trade

Unification of Italy :

The Struggle between Conservatism and liberalism.

Mazzini, Cavour and Garibaldi.

The Stages of Italian Unification.

Unification of Germany:

The struggle for power and leadership between Prussia and Austria.

Bismarck. Wars of unification. Franco-Prussian War, 1870. Treaty of Frankfurt.

East Asia:

China: Western penetration. Opium Wars. Treaty of Nanking. Taiping Rebellion.

Japan: Collapse of the Shogunate. Meiji Restoration.

Note: There will be three questions, one from each Unit.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

1. G. Lefebvre : *Coming of the French Revolution.*
2. Francois Furet : *Revolutionary France 1770-1880.*
3. Michel Vovelle : *The Fall of the French monarchy 1787-1792.*
4. Peter Mcphee : *The French Revolution 1789-1799.*
5. William Doyle: *The Oxford History of the French Revolution.*
6. Florin Aftalion : *The French Revolution: An economic interpretation.*
7. A Cobban : *Social interpretation of the French Revolution.*
8. A Soboul : *The Parisian Sansculottes and the French Revolution 1793-04.*
9. Leo Gershoy : *The French Revolution and Napoleon.*
10. J.M. Thompson : *Napoleon Bonaparte: His rise and fall.*
11. G. Lefevre : *Napoleon 2 vols.*
12. Peter Geyl : *Napoleon.*
13. Abbott : *Life of Napoleon Bonaparte.*
14. May, A : *The Age of Metternich*
15. Haas, Arthur G. : *Metternich.*
16. Harold Nicholson : *The Congress f Vienna.*
17. Jonathan Sperber : *The European Revolutions 1848-1850.*
18. Smith, D. Mack : *Cavour and Garibaldi, 1860.*
19. Christopher Duggan : *A Concise history of Italy.*
20. Hearder & Waley : *A Short History of Italy.*
21. S. Pinson : *Modern Germany*
22. E.J. Passant : *Short History of Germany 1815-1945.*
23. Ralph Flenley : *Modern German History.*
24. A.J.P. Taylor : *Bismarck.*
25. T.S. Hamerow : *Otto Von Bismarck.*
26. Florinsky : *Russia, A Short History.*
27. Nicholas V. Riasanovsky: *A History of Russia.*
28. Pares : *A History of Russia.*
29. J.P. T. Bury : *France, 1814-1914.*
30. Agatha Ramm : *Germany 1789-1919.*
31. Thomson, David : *Europe Since Napoleon.*
32. Lipson, E. : *Europe in the 19th Century and 20th Century.*

- 33. Clyde, Paul Hibbert : *The Far East.*
- 34. Latourette, K.S. : *A History of Japan.*
- 35. Chesneaux, Jean : *China from the opium war to 1911 Revolution.*
- 36. Beckmann, George M.: *The Modernization of China and Japan.*
- 37. Jaroslav Krejci : *Great Revolutions Compared.*
- 38. Wheat Croff, Andrew: *The World Atlas of Revolutions.*

HSM 7003: Gender Relations in Indian Society: The Pre-Colonial Period

Teacher: Dr. Shadab Bano

No. of Lectures: 40

Unit - I Ancient India

1. Women and Gender in pre and proto-historical period: Gender in division of labour; Women and Technology of tool making, craft production, agriculture. Origins of Patriarchy; Mother goddess and fertility cults in Indus civilisation.
2. Eros, Rituals and Gender in Ancient India: Women in the Vedic Period; gender hierarchies in Brahmanical patriarchy; Women in Buddhism, Jainism and other heterodox sects; the *bhaktins*, Love, eros and marriage in ancient India; women in courtly life; *Dasis*, prostitutes and courtesans

Unit – II Medieval India

1. Women in Community, Kin and Family: rights of women in marriage and inheritance; women in economic activities; marginalized women: prostitutes, slave girls and female entertainers.
2. Imperial women: Eros, love and masculinity in Mughal court culture; Women's lives and agency in Mughal harems; concubines and eunuchs in Imperial harem.

Unit-III Representations of Gender

1. Representation of women in ancient Indian texts: Manusmriti, *Arthashastra*, *Rajatarangini*.
2. Representation of women in medieval Indian texts: Gulbadan Begum's *Humayunnama*, Akbarnama, Banarsidas's *Ardhakathanaka*, *Muraqqa-i-Dehli*.

SUGGESTED READING:

Joan M. Gero and Margaret Wright Conkey	:	<i>Engendering Archaeology: Women and Pre- History</i>
A.S. Altekar	:	<i>The Position of Women in Hindu Civilisation: From Pre-historic to the Present Day</i>
Kumkum Roy ed.,	:	<i>Women in Early Indian Societies</i>
Sukumari Bhattacharji	:	<i>Women and Society in Ancient India</i>
Daud Ali	:	<i>Courtly Culture and Political Life in Early Medieval India</i>
Kiran Pawar ed.,	:	<i>Women in Indian History: Social, Economic,</i>

- Political and Cultural Perspectives*
- Vijaya Ramaswamy : *Divinity and Deviance: Women in Virasaivism*
 Gavin Hambly : *Women in the Medieval Islamic World*
 Ruby Lal : *Domesticity and Power in the Early Mughal World*
 John L. Esposito : *Women in Muslim Family Law*
 R. Levy : *Social Structure of Islam*
 Ellison Banks Findly, : *Nur Jahan: Empress of Mughal India*
- Joyce Lebra, : *Women and Work in India Continuity Joy*
 Paulson and Jana Everett (eds) *and Change*, New Delhi, 1984
 Harbans Mukhia : *The Mughals of India*, Chap 3, 'The World of Mughal Family'.

ARTICLES

- Kumkum Roy : 'Towards History of Reproduction', *PIHC*, 2010.
 Uma Chakravarti : 'The Rise of Buddhism as Experienced by Women'
Manushi 8
- 'Conceptualising Brahmanical patriarchy in Early India. Gender, Caste, Class and State', *Economic and Political Weekly* 28
 'Beyond Altekarian Paradigm: Towards a New Understanding of Gender Relations in Early Indian History', *Social Scientist*, 16, 8
 'The Myth of Golden Age of Equality – Women Slaves in Ancient India', *Manushi*, 3
- Suvira Jaiswal, : 'Women in Early India: Problems and Perspectives', *PIHC*, 1981
- Alan Sponberg : 'Attitudes Towards Women and the Feminine in Early Buddhism', in Jose Ignacio Cabezón *Buddhism, Sexuality and Gender*, Delhi, 1992.
- Irfan Habib : 'Exploring Medieval Gender History', IHC symposium paper 2000
- Shireen Moosvi : 'Women in India', UNESCO *History of Civilization*, Vols. V and VI
 'Work and Gender in Mughal India', *People, Trade and taxation in Mughal India*, Delhi, 2008
- P. Priscilla Soucek : 'Timurid Women A Cultural perspective,' in Hambly(ed.) *Women in the Medieval Islamic World*
- Shadab Bano : 'Women and Property in Mughal India', *PIHC*, 2008
 'Marriage and Concubinage in Mughal Imperial Family', *PIHC*, 1998

HS-7004: TECHNOLOGY AND SOCIETY IN INDIA TILL c.1200

Teacher: Dr. Mohd. Parwez

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

1. Nature of Evidence for History of Ancient Indian technology: Archaeology, Painting and Sculpture; texts, inscriptions.
2. Agricultural Technology:
The Neolithic shift to Agriculture in India: Mehrgarh Tools and Techniques of cultivation: Beginning of plough based agriculture; Sowing Devices. Methods of Irrigation; Water lift; manures. Traditional crops; New Crops; Gardening; Horticulture and 'Wild' silks; Oil, Sugar and Indigo extraction.
3. Textile Technology:
Processing of cotton, wool and other fabrics (collection, ginning and carding). Whorls and spindles; cotton gin; weaving.
Bleaching, dyeing, painting and printing.
Main types of cloth produced.
4. Transport Technology:
Beasts of burden.
Wheeled Vehicles;
Ship-building.

UNIT-II

5. Extractive Industries:
Mining (salt, saltpeter and diamond mining; stone quarries).
Raw material from animals; leather industry.
6. Chemical Practices and Technology:
Glass technology (Beads; bangles; mirrors).
Metallurgy: introduction of iron and its impact, 'Damascened Steel', Zinc.
Distillation.
7. Civil Engineering:
Building technology (trabeate construction)
Roads, bridges, Dams.

UNIT-III

8. Military Technology:
Stirrup and Saddle.
Arms and Armour.
9. Time-Reckoning Technology:
Clepsydras.
Sun-dials,
10. Theoretical Technology: Bhoja.

12. Technology: How affected by Social Structure, Influence of Caste
13. Innovation and Diffusion of Technology, Role of inter-culture contacts.

Note: There will be three questions, one from each Unit.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

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|--------------------------------------|---|--|
| A.H.Dani et. al. | : | <i>History of Humanity</i> , vols. I to V (relevant Sections on Agriculture and Textiles). |
| Jean Deloche | : | <i>A History of Transport in India</i> , 2 Vols. |
| K.A. Chaudary & G.S. Saraswat | : | <i>Ancient Agriculture</i> . |
| P.K. Gode | : | <i>Studies in Indian Cultural History</i> , vols. I & III (relevant articles). |
| A.K. Bag, ed.,
D.M. Bose, S.N.Sen | : | <i>History of Technology in ancient India</i> , I.N.S.A.,1998. |
| Subbarayappa, eds. | : | <i>A Concise History of Science in India</i> (relevant portions only) |
| T. Schioler | : | <i>Roman and Islamic Water-Lifting Wheels</i> . |
| Lallanji Gopal | : | <i>Aspects of History of Agriculture of Ancient India</i> . |
| Anirudha Ray & S.K. Bagchi, ed. | : | <i>Technology in Ancient and Medieval India</i> . |
| P.C. Ray | : | <i>History of Chemistry in Ancient and Medieval India</i> , Calcutta, 1956. |
| Irfan Habib | : | <i>Technology in Medieval India</i> , C.650-1750, Tulika, New Delhi, 2008 |

ARTICLES:

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|-----------------|---|--|
| Lynn White, Jr. | : | 'Tibet India and Malaya As Sources of Western Medieval Technology', <i>American History Review</i> , LXV, No.3, April, 1960. |
| Irfan Habib | : | "Peasant in Indian History" in Irfan Habib, <i>Essays in Indian History – a Marxist Interpretation</i> , New Delhi, 1996. |
| Irfan Habib | : | 'Joseph Needham and the History of Indian Technology' <i>Indian Journal of History Sciences</i> 35. 3(2000) pp.245-274. |
| - do - | : | "Pursuing the history of Indian Technology, Pre-Modern Modes of Transmission of Power", <i>Social Scientists</i> , vol. 20, Nos. 3-4, March-April 1992, pp.1-22. |
| Qaisar, A.J. | : | Indian Response to European Technology & Culture, OUP, New Delhi |
| Ishrat Alam | : | "Textile Technology as depicted in Ajanta & Mughal Paintings" in Aniruddha Ray and Bagchi. Eds., <i>Technology in Ancient & Medieval India</i> . |
| S.R. Sarma | : | 'Writing Material in Ancient India', <i>Aligarh Journal of Oriental Studies</i> , II (-2) |
| D. Schlingloff | : | Cotton Manufacture in Ancient India', <i>JESHO</i> , XVII, No.1, 1974. Pt. 1, (1974). |

- Ishrat Alam : “Technological Exchanges between India and Iran in Ancient and Medieval Times”, Irfan Habib, ed. *Shared Heritage: The Growth of Civilizations in India and Iran*, Delhi, 2002, pp.77-98.
- Vibha Tripathi : *History of Iran Technology in India* (from beginning to Modern Times), Delhi, n.d.

Reference Books:

- J. Needham : *Science and Civilization in China* (see relevant sections only).
- Lynn White Jr. : *Medieval Technology and Social Change*.
- R.J. Forbes : *Studies in Ancient Technology*, Relevant Vols.
- Shireen Ratnagar : *Makers and Shapers*

HS-7011 : PREHISTORY AND PROTOHISTORY

Teacher: Dr. Jaya Menon

Total No. of Lectures = 40

Unit I

16

I Palaeolithic hunter-gatherers:

Habitats, band formation and subsistence strategies

Developments in tool technology

Early forays into art expression, symbolism and language

II The Mesolithic transition:

Path towards domestication of plants and animals

III Neolithic societies:

Culmination of experiments in domestication

Sedentarization: Early villages

Beginnings of crafts

Social structures and early forms of religion

IV Chalcolithic societies: Antecedents to the Mature Harappan

Unit II

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The Bronze Age: The Mature Harappan

Terminology, dates, site distribution

The urban form

Subsistence economy, trade, technology

Writing

Social organization and religion

Political form(s) in the Mature Harappan

End of the Mature Harappan

Unit III

10

Late Harappan Chalcolithic cultures

Post-Harappan Chalcolithic cultures: Ahar, Malwa, Deccan

The Iron Age

Peninsular India: The Megaliths

Ganga-Yamuna Doab and the Gangetic Valley

Introduction of iron: The iron debate

Note: There will be Three Questions, one from each Unit.

READING LIST:

Agrawal, D.P. *Archaeology of India*. New Delhi. 1984.

Allchin, B. & R. Allchin. *The Rise of Civilization in India and Pakistan*. New Delhi. 1989. Reprint.

Allchin, R. & B. Allchin. *Origins of a Civilization*. Delhi. 1997.

Childe, V.G. *Man Makes Himself*. London. 1956.

Dhavalikar, M.K. Early farming cultures of central India. In D.P. Agrawal & D.K. Chakrabarti, eds., *Essays in Indian Protohistory*, pp. 229-245. Delhi. 1979.

Dhavalikar, M.K. *The First Farmers of the Deccan*. Pune. 1988.

Fried, M.H. *The Evolution of Political Society*. New York. 1967.

Habib, I. *Prehistory*. Delhi. 2001.

Habib, I. *Indus Civilization*. Delhi. 2002.

Lal, M. 1986. Iron Tools, Forest Clearance and Urbanization in the Gangetic Plains. *Man & Environment* 10: 83-90.

Ratnagar, S. *The End of the Great Harappan Tradition*. New Delhi. 2000.

Ratnagar, S. *Understanding Harappa*. New Delhi. 2001.

Service, E.R. *Primitive Social Organization*. New York. 1962.

Smith, B.D. *The Emergence of Agriculture*. New York. 1998.

Sundara, A. Typology of Megaliths in South India. In D.P. Agrawal & D.K. Chakrabarti, eds. *Essays in Indian Protohistory*, pp. 331-340. Delhi. 1979.

Tripathi, V. *The Painted Grey Ware*. Delhi. 1975.

Tripathi, V. *The Age of Iron in South Asia: Legacy and Tradition*, Delhi 2001.

HS-7012: THE AGE OF THE BUDDHA AND MAURYAS

Teacher: Dr. Rashmi Upadhyaya

Total No. of Lectures= 40

UNIT-I

14

1. NORTHERN INDIA (6TH –4TH CENTURIES B.C.):

- a. Mahajanapadas – Geography and Political Structures.
- b. Society and Economy; Growth of Towns and commerce; Emergence of Coins, weights and measures. NBPW Culture.
- c. Technology, NBPW and other black wares.
- d. Northwestern India and the Achaemenians.

2. NEW RELIGIOUS MOVEMENTS:

- a. Factors for the emergence of heterogeneous sects: Buddhism and Jainism.
- b. Jainism – earlier Tirthankaras; Mahavira and his doctrines; Jaina philosophy.
- c. Buddhism – Gautama Buddha and his teachings; Buddhist philosophy; the Sangha and the laity.

UNIT-II

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1. THE RISE OF MAGADHA

- a. The geography of Magadha
- b. Strategies of expansion-Bimbisara, Ajatsatru and successors
- c. The Nandas

2. ALEXANDER'S INVASION

- a. Alexander's campaign
- b. Immediate and long-term consequences

3. THE EARLY MAURYAS

- a. Sources –Greek accounts; problems with *Arthashastra*- dating and relevance; *Indika* and the problems with Megasthenes' text; inscriptions.
- b. Chandragupta: The North Western experience. Accession and expansion of the empire; Bindusara.

UNIT-III

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1. ASOKA: RELIGION AND EMPIRE

- a) Conquest of Kalinga; extent of empire; relations with contemporary rulers.
- b) Dhamma; nature, content and propagation
- c) Brahmanical cults, Buddhism and Jainism
- d) Mauryan art and architecture

2. SOCIETY, RELIGION AND ECONOMY:

- a. Social Stratification; Caste system-information from Megasthenes; impact of Buddhism.

- b. Expansion of agriculture
- c. Long-distance trade.
- d. Technology.

3. ADMINISTRATION

- a) The issue of centralization
- b) Ministers and bureaucracy
- c) Provincial administration
- d) Revenue system and taxation
- e) Military organization

DOCUMENTS

1. English translation of Sutta-Nipata by V. Fausball in *Sacred books of the East*, X, pt. II, 37-66.
2. Extracts from Megasthenes, *Classical Accounts of India* ed. R.C. Majumdar, Calcutta, 1960.
3. *Asokan Inscriptions*: English Trans. By Barua, B.M.
 - a. Rock Edicts: I-XIV.
 - b. Pillar Edicts: I, to VII.
 - c. Bairat (bhabru) Stone Inscription.
 - d. Rummindei Pillar Inscription.
 - e. Sarnath Pillar Inscription.

Note: *There will be three questions, one from each Unit, one out of these requiring comments on passages from the Documents.*

READING LIST:

- | | | |
|---------------------|---|--|
| Fussman, G. | - | Central and provincial administration in Ancient India: The Problem of the Mauryan Empire, <i>Indian Historical Review</i> , 1987-88, xiv, pp.43-72. |
| Ghosh, A | - | Cities in Ancient India. |
| Harmatta, J., (ed.) | - | UNESCO History of Civilizations Kharoshthi Inscriptions of Central Asia, Vol. II. |
| Hultsch, E. | - | Corpus Inscriptionum Indicarum Vol.I, The Inscriptions of Ashoka. |
| Konow, Sten. | - | Corpus Inscriptionum Indicarum, Vol. II. |
| Kosambi, D.D. | - | Introduction to the Study of Indian History |
| Levin, G.M. Bongard | - | Mauryan India |
| Ray, N.R. | - | Mauryan and Sunga Art |
| Ray, N.R. | - | Mauryan and Post-Mauryan Art. |
| Rhys Davids, TW | - | Buddhist India. |
| Schoff, W. | - | The Periplus of the Erythraean Sea |
| Sharma, R.S. | - | Material Culture and Social Formations in Ancient India. |

Sharma, R.S.	-	Perspective in Social and Economic History of Early India.
Thapar, R	-	Asoka and the Decline of the Mauryas.
Thapar, R.,	-	From Lineage to State.
Thapar, R.	-	The Mauryas Revisited.
Thapar, R.	-	Cultural Pasts.
Thapar, R.	-	Early India.
Trautmann, T	-	Kautilya and Arthasastra.
Habib, Irfan	-	Mauryan Empire
Rena Srivastava	-	Mining and Metallurgy in Ancient India
G.P. Singh	-	Republics, Kingdoms, Towns and Cities in Ancient India
K.S. Srivastava	-	Economic and Social Life in Ancient India

HS-7013 : CLASSICAL AGE-C 300-650 A.D.

Teacher: Dr. (Mrs.)Rashmi Upadhyaya

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

14

1. The Guptas –Political History.
 - a. Sources and Political condition on the rise of the Guptas.
 - b. Samudragupta: conquests and Policies.
 - c. Problems in determination of Gupta Chronology.
2.
 - a. Achievements of Chandragupta II, Problem of Ramgupta.
 - b. Kumaragupta and Skandagupta.
 - c. The Hunas and their impact, Decline of the Gupta Empire.

UNIT-II

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3.
 - a. Gupta Polity-administrative organisation.
 - b. Socio-economic life.
 - d. Religion and Culture.
4.
 - a. Sanskrit literature.
 - b. Development of Science and Mathematics.
 - c. Gupta sculptures and architecture. The Mehrauli Pillar.

UNIT-III

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5. The Vakatakas – Political History, agrarian Structure & settlements.
6. Rise of the Local Rulers:
 - a. Later Guptas.
 - b. Maukharis.
 - c. Vardhanas.
 - d. Other Minor States.
7. Harshavardhana:
 - a. Sources: Bana and Yuan Chwang.
 - b. Early career and Military Campaigns.
 - c. Relations with contemporary rulers.
 - d. Administrative organisation

DOCUMENTS

Corpus Inscriptionum Indicarum, III, tr. Fleet ed. D.R., Bhandarkar.

1.
 - a. Allahabad Pillar Inscription – pp.203-220.
 - b. Mehrauli Iron Pillar Inscription. pp.257-259.
 - c. Bhitari Pillar Inscription of Skandagupta, pp.312-317.
 - d. Udayagiri Cave Inscription of Chandragupta II, pp.255-256.
 - e. Mandsor Inscription of Kumaragupta (I) and Bandhuvarman: (Krita) years 493 and 259, pp.322-332.

- f. Junagadh Rock Inscription of Skandagupta, years 136,137 and 138, pp.296-305.
2. Aihole Inscription of Pulakeshin II, *Epigraphia Indica*, Vol. VI, pp.1-12.
3. The Travels of Fa-hien: Eng. trans. by H.A. Giles (account of the Middle Kingdom), pp.20-24.
4. Buddhist records of Western World, trans. by Beal, extracts from the accounts of Hiuen Tsang, Book II, pp.69-90.

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BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

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|---------------------|---|--|
| J.F. Fleet | - | <i>Corpus Inscription Indicarum</i> Vol. III.
<i>Harsha-Charita</i> of Banabhatta, tr. C.B. & F.W., Thomas. |
| H.C. Raychaudhuri | - | <i>Political History of Ancient India.</i> |
| R.C. Majumdar (ed.) | - | <i>The Classical Age.</i> |
| A.S. Altekar | - | <i>The Vakataka-Gupta Age.</i> |
| S.R. Goyal | - | <i>A History of the Imperial Guptas.</i> |
| P.L. Gupta | - | <i>The Imperial Guptas, Vol.I.</i> |
| R.K. Mookerjee | - | <i>The Gupta Empire.</i> |
| S. Chattopadhyaya | - | <i>The Early History of Northern India.</i> |
| Halder Pathak | - | <i>Cultural History of the Gupta Period.</i> |
| B.P. Sinha | - | <i>Dynastic History of Magadha.</i> |
| B.G. Gokhale | - | <i>Samudragupta.</i> |
| Upendra Thakur | - | <i>Hunas in India.</i> |
| S.K. Maity | - | <i>Economic Life of Northern India in the Gupta Period.</i> |
| D.N. Jha | - | <i>Revenue System in Post Maurya & Gupta Times.</i> |
| R.S. Sharma | - | <i>Light on Early Indian Society and Economy.</i> |
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| V.S. Agrawal | - | <i>The Deeds of Harsha.</i> |
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| R.G. Bhandarkar | - | <i>Vaishnavism, Saivism and other Minor Religious Systems.</i> |
| R.K. Mookerji | - | <i>Ancient Indian Education</i> (Relevant chapters). |
| A.S. Altekar | - | <i>The Position of Women</i> (relevant chapters). |
| Sukla Das | - | <i>Socio-Economic Life of Northern India (A.D. 500-650).</i> |
| Lallanji Gopal | - | <i>Economic Life of Northern India.</i> |
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R.S. Sharma	-	<i>Urban Decay in India.</i>
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K.S. Srivastava	-	Economic and Social Life in Ancient India
R.S. Sharma	-	Early Medieval Indian Society
R.S. Agarwal	-	Trade Centres and Routes in Northern India (322 BC-AD 500)

HSM-7026: THE DELHI SULTANATE (1206-1290)

Teacher: Dr. Ali Athar

No. of Lectures: 40

UNIT – I

14

1. INDIA ON THE EVE OF TURKISH INVASION:
The Principal North Indian States. Indian 'feudalism' .
2. THE GHORIAN CONQUEST OF INDIA:
The Process of conquest; the Khalji occupation of Bengal. Causes for success.
The Military factors; consequences.
3. The Ghorian Empire in India 1206.
QUTBUDDIN AIBAK, 1206-10. The slave officers of Muizzuddin. Yilduz and Qubacha. Aibak's seizure of the Indian dominions.

UNIT – II

14

4. ILTUTMISH 1210-36:
Elimination of rivals; Conquests; the Ruling class under iltutmish: Slave officers and free nobility. The *iqta* system; The royal districts (*Khalisa*), and the shamsi *Iqta'dars*.
5. THE REGIME OF THE SHAMSI SLAVES, 1236-66:
The successors of Iltutmish; Barani's theory of "the Forty Slaves of Iltutmish"; Sultan Nasiruddin; The rise of Balban.
6. GHIYASUDDIN BALBAN, 1266-87:
Balban's character, nature and policies as depicted by Barani. Eliminations of the Principal Shamsi Officers.
Suppression of the agrarian rebels (*mawas*).
The subordinate Exploiting Classes: The *ranas*, *chaudhuris*, *khots*. Policy towards the Mongols.

UNIT – III

12

7. THE FALL OF THE BALBAN DYNASTY 1287-90:
Kaiqubad and Bughra Khan. Contradictions within the ruling class. The Khalji "Revolution". The Khaljis and the impact of their advent to power on the Sultanate of Delhi.
8. SOCIETY & CULTURE DURING THE 13TH CENTURY:
Foreign immigration; The City of Delhi, Institution of Slavery; Islam and the theologians; Sufism, Chishti & Suhrawardi Silsilahs. The first phase of Indo-Saracenic architecture.
9. THE SOURCES OF THE 13TH CENTURY:

Inscriptions; Coins; Hasan Nizami *Taj-ul-Maasir* and Minhaj Siraj's, *-Tabaqat-i-Nasiri*:

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HS-7015: HISTORY OF MUGHAL EMPIRE (1526-1556)

Teacher: Dr. Syed Ali Nadeem Rezavi
Lectures = 40

Total Number of

UNIT – I

14

1. A BRIEF SURVEY OF HISTORICAL SOURCES ON EARLY MUGHALS:

Contemporary and near-contemporary sources on Babur and Humayun. Special study of *Baburnama*, Gulbadan Bano Begum's *Humayun Nama* and Abbas Khan Sarwani's *Tuhfa-i Akbar Shahi*.

2. INDIA ON THE EVE OF BABUR'S CONQUEST:

The political conditions in Hindustan on the eve of Babur's invasion; Indian society and culture at the beginning of the 16th Century as depicted in *Baburnama*; Critical evaluation of Rushbrooke William's analysis.

3. ESTABLISHMENT OF MUGHAL RULE:

Babur's career. Major campaigns in India. Factors responsible for his success: the role of artillery.

4. THE ORGANIZATION OF GOVERNMENT:

The position of the Timurid king and nobility: the Turko-Mongol traditions of Kingship. The administration under Babur: the *wajhdari* system; the Central Administration; the military organization. The nobility.

UNIT – II

13

5. HUMAYUN'S DIFFICULTIES: POLITICAL AND MILITARY PROBLEMS

Attitude of the Chaghtai nobility; the role of his brothers; Threat from Bahadur Shah of Gujarat. Humayun's relations with Shershah.

6. HUMAYUN'S ADMINISTRATION AND HIS NOBILITY:

Composition of the nobility at the beginning of Humayun's reign. Humayun's early measures to establish his control over the nobles; Crisis in Humayun's relations with his nobility during 1538-42; factors behind Humayun's failure against Sher Shah. Emergence of a new nobility during 1545-55.

7. HUMAYUN'S GUJARAT POLICY:

The establishment of Portuguese control in the Indian waters and its political and economic consequences. The expansionist ambitions of Bahadur Shah I; Genesis of the conflict between Humayun and Bahadur Shah. The problem of Mewar. Campaign in Gujarat and Malwa; Askari's revolt. Consequences of the Gujarat campaign.

UNIT – III

13

8. THE SUR REGIME:

The early career of Sher Shah. His rise to power in Bihar and Bengal. Extent of his appeal to Afghan sentiments. The reign of Sher Shah: main events. Islam Shah: difficulties with his nobility. Internal policies of the Surs.

9. THE SUR ADMINISTRATION:

Administrative divisions of the Empire and the administrative set-up in those divisions. Revenue Administration (the *Zabti* System); Military organization. Coinage.

10. COLLAPSE OF THE SUR REGIME:

Rise of a new nobility under Adil Shah Sur. Disaffection of old nobles. Rebellions of Ibrahim Sur, Sikandar Sur and Muhammad Khan Sur. Hemu's role; Battles of Tughlaqabad and Panipat.

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Note: *There will be three questions, one from each unit, one of which may require comments on passages from the prescribed Documents.*

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2. S. K. Banerji : *Humayun Badshah*, Vol. I
3. Ishwari Prasad : *Life and Times of Humayun Padshah*
4. Qanungo, K.A. : *Sher Shah and His Times*
5. Danvers, Ft. C. : *The Portuguese in India*, vol. I, Chap.III & XI
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11. Stephen F. Dale : *The Eight Paradises: Babur and the Culture of the Empire in Central Asia, Afghanistan and India (1483-1530)*, Brill, 2004
12. Yash Raj Malhotra: *Babur's Nobility and Administration*
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14. Mansura Haidar : 'The Sovereign in the Timurid State', *Turcica: Paveu Du etudes Torques*, tome VIII, no.2, 1976
15. Syed Nurul Hasan : 'Revenue Administration of the Jagir of Sahasaram by Farid (Sher Shah)', *Proceedings of the Indian History Congress*, 1964
16. Syed Nurul Hasan : 'New Light on the Relations of the Early Mughal Rulers with their Nobility', *Proceedings of the Indian History Congress*, Madras session.

HS-7027: THE REIGN OF AKBAR (1556-1605)

Teacher: Dr. Syed Ali Nadeem Rezavi

Total Number of Lectures = 40

UNIT – I

14

1. **The Initial Years:** Bairam Khan's Ascendancy to Maham Anaga's downfall (1556-62); Akbar's accession at Kalanaur. Bairam Khan's Ascendancy; Circumstances facilitating Bairam Khan's rise to power; Developments leading to his decline; The 'Petticoat Government'.
2. **Akbar and his Nobility:** (a) The nature and composition of the nobility under Akbar. Conflict with the Turani Nobility (1564-67); Factors responsible for the dissatisfaction of Turanis; Revolts by Mirza Sharfuddin, Shah Abul Ma'ali, & Abdullah Khan Uzbek. (b) The Restructuring of Nobility: Recruitment of the Rajput and the Indian Muslims. Promotion and ascendancy of the *Khurasanis*. Tension between the *Khurasanis* and *Turanis*.
3. **Akbar and the North-West Frontier:** The North-West, its trade-routes and passes; the Uzbek-Khanate and its relations with the Timurids and Safavids. Akbar's quest for a 'Natural Frontier' and Abdullah Khan Uzbek; the issue of Badakhshan; the tribes and their role. Akbar and the Safavids; Dispute over Qandhar. Occupation of Khurasan by the Uzbeks and its aftermath.
4. **Akbar and the Deccan:** The Deccan states and their relations with the Mughals till 1583; Mughal Objectives in the Deccan after 1583. Annexation of Berar (1595); Occupation of Ahmadnagar & the Treaties of 1600 & 1601; Annexation of Khandesh (1601).

UNIT – II

13

1. **Mughal Administrative Machinery:** The theory of sovereignty; the concept of *bandagan-i dargah*. The King as *pir-o musrshid*; Escheat system.
2. **Mansab and Jagir System:** the pattern of military hierarchy before Akbar. *Mansab* system as described in *Ain-i Akbari*; introduction of *sawar* rank (1595); *dagh wa chihra* Regulation. The Jagirdari system; the *karori* Experiment.
3. **The Rural Aristocracy:** The *zamindars* in the second half of the 16th Century; Vassal chiefs & Intermediaries; zamindar's position in the Mughal Imperial system and their share in social surplus.
4. **Administrative Institutions:** (a) The Central Government and its structure; civil and military functionaries; (b) Provincial Administration: the creation of provinces; Administration at the *sarkar* and *pargana* level; *zamindari* areas; *faujdari* etc. (c) Revenue Administration: how different/similar from Sher Shah; *ain-i dahsala* and subsequent reforms. (d) Re-organization of *Sadarat* and *madad-i ma'ash* grants.

UNIT – III

13

1. **Indian Economy and Society at the Death of Akbar:** The system of Agrarian Surplus-Appropriation; Composition of Population: the Ruling classes, the professional' middle classes', bureaucracy, intellectuals, merchants and artisans; the village community and the stratification of peasantry. Akbar's attitude towards social inequities.
2. **Religion under Akbar:** Monotheistic Movements. Evolution of Akbar's religious outlook. The *Ibadatkhana* Discussions; *Sulh-i kul*. Abul Fazl. Sufism, Shi'ism and Muslim Orthodoxy. Translation of Sanskrit and other texts into Persian; Non-Muslim festivals. Attitude towards Parsis, Jains and the Jesuits.
3. **Culture, Science, 'Rationalism' and Technology:** Literature and 'adab', Persian, Awadhi, Braj, Punjabi; technological innovations and sciences; foundations of Mughal Painting and Architecture
4. **Historiography of Akbar's Reign:** Official Histories, Semi-Official Histories, Histories written by theologians (*ulema*), *Insha* collections, Regional histories, *Tazkiras*, Biographical Dictionaries, European Accounts, Later sources and histories. Detailed study of *Ain-i Akbari* and *Muntakhab ut Tawarikh*.

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 P. Saran, *The Provincial Administration of the Mughals* (chs. V – VIII)
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HSM-7017: THE EIGHTEENTH CENTURY: INDIAN POLITICS, COLONIAL EXPANSION AND CONSOLIDATION

Teacher: Dr. (Mrs.) Gulfshan Khan

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

Decline/Disintegration of the Mughal Empire and Rise of the Succession states and the regional powers:

1. The Mughal Empire at the death of Muhammad Shah
 - (a) Factors behind the Decline of the Mughal Empire. The Major Theories of the Decline of the Mughal Empire J.N. Sarkar and others. Theory of the Agrarian Crisis (Irfan Habib), Jagirdari Crisis (Satish Chandra) Cultural Failure (M. Athar Ali)
 - (b) C.A. Bayley and the Muzaffar Alam Revisionist School
2. Rise of the regional powers.
 - (a) State Formation in Awadh
 - (b) Rise of the Rohela Power in Doab.
 - (c) Rise of the Jat Raj at Bharatpur.
 - (d) Expansion of the Maratha power into North India.
3. Ahmad Shah Durrani and the struggle for the Punjab.
 - (a) Nature and Extent of the Abdali/Durrani Empire.
 - (b) The Third Battle of Panipat, Causes and Consequences.
 - (c) Strength and Weaknesses of the Maratha Political, Fiscal and Military system.

UNIT-II

1. Coming of the Colonialism:
The Rise of European powers in South India
 - (a) The position of the European trading Companies in the 2nd half of the 18th Century in the South.
 - (b) Competition and conflict between the English and the French; the Carnatic Wars.
2.
 - (a) Muhammad Ali and the Generation of Carnatic Debts.
 - (b) The Dispersal of French Mercenaries into the indigenous states.
3. The establishment of British Rule in Bengal 1757 – 76 .
 - (a) Plassey the Road to Buxar
 - (b) The Assumption of Diwani and the Dual Government .
 - (c) The Government of the East India Company under the Regulating Act of 1773.
 - (d) The Administration of the EIC under Warren Hastings.
 - (e) Pitts India Act of 1784;
 - (f) Administration under Cornwallis.

UNIT-III

1. Establishment of English Paramountcy and the Native resistance.
The Rise and reorganization of the Mysore State under Haider Ali.
(a) Haider Ali's Relations with the British.
(b) Domestic and External Policies of Tipu Sultan. Extent of Modernization.
2. Maratha Polity after the defeat at Panipat
(a) The Anglo Maratha Wars
(b) The Subsidiary Alliance system Nizam and the other Indian States.

Note: There will be three questions one from each Unit.

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- Iqbal Husain, : *The Rise and Decline of the Rohela Chieftaincies*, O.U.P. 1993.
- H.H. Dodwell : *The Cambridge History of India*.
- Vincent Rose (ed.) : *The French in India*.
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- Tara Chand : *A History of Freedom Movement in India*.
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- B.B. Misra : *The Central Administration of the East India Company*.
- Jos Gommans : *Rise of the Indo-Afghan Empire 1710-1785*, OUP, 1999.
- R.K. Mukherjee : *The Rise and Fall of the East India Company*.
- Mohibbul Hasan : *History of Tipu Sultan*.
- A.L. Srivastava : *First Two Nawabs of Awadh Shuja Uddaulah*.
- A. Wink : *Land and Sovereignty in India – The Maratha Swarajya in the eighteenth Century*.
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- C.A. Bayly : *The New Cambridge History of India*, Vols. II, Pt. I.
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- Gulfishan Khan : *Indian Muslim Perceptions of the West during the Eighteenth Century*, OUP, 1998.
- M. Umar : *Islam in Northern India during the Eighteenth Century*.

HS-7018: THE COLONIAL STATE IN INDIA, 1819-85

Teacher: Dr. Hassan Imam

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

14

- I BRITISH PARAMOUNTEY AND TERRITORIAL CONSOLIDATION 1818-1858:**
- (a) Factors for the British success in India.
 - (b) Colonial Encounter with the Indian States: Subsidiary alliance, the residency system, Dalhousie's Doctrine of Lapse, and annexations.
 - (c) Fixing the Frontiers of British India: Warfare with Nepal, and Burma; Forward Policy on the North West Frontier-the Afghan wars-the conquest of Sindh-relations with Punjab & its annexation.

UNIT-II

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- II INSTITUTIONS AND IDEOLOGIES OF RULE 1818-1857:**
- (a) Structure of Company administration: The Charter acts of 1813, 1833, 1853. Interest groups shaping Company policy – the Utilitarians, Evangelists, and Free Traders.
 - (b) Colonial rule of Law: The Orientalist enterprise – translations and digests; the Anglicist platform the Law Commission, the draft Penal Code; Educational Policy and Public instruction 1813-1857.
 - (c) The EIC's Army: Strategic, fiscal and ideological imperatives; the military labour market; recruitment and discipline.

UNIT-III

13

III POST- 1857: ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGE AND RECONSTRUCTION

- (a) Ideologies and Symbols of Rule: Victoria's proclamation of 1858 – Imperial darbars. New infrastructures of rule. The impact and limits of colonial modernization.
- (b) Administrative change and Reconstruction: The Civil Services-the competition system-the subordinate civil services-new criteria for employment. Law, Justice and legal codification; Military re-organisation: racial composition, military expenditure in the budget, concept of mix regiments, new recruiting grounds, martial castes.
- (c) Fiscal System: Problems of taxation-India's role in the international balance of payments-laissez-faire and tariff policy.

DOCUMENTS

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- Philips, C.H., : *Indian Society and the beginnings of modernization*, and Wainwright, M.D., (eds.) 1976.
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- Kolff, D.H.A., : *Naukar, Rajput and Sepoy: The ethnohistory of the Military Labour Market in Hindustan, 1450-1850*, OUP, 1990, Conclusion, 355. 220954, K93N.
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HSM-7019-INDIAN NATIONAL MOVEMENT(1885-1922)

Teacher: Dr. Mohd. Sajjad

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

14

1. HISTORIOGRAPHY OF THE NATIONAL MOVEMENT:

The Nationalist School; The Communal School; The Marxist School; The Cambridge School; The Subaltern School; Other Recent Revisionist Trends.

2. ORIGINS OF INDIAN NATIONALISM:

Debates concerning the Nature and Origins of Indian Nationalism. The early political associations; Indian Economic Nationalism.

3. Growth of the Indian National Congress (1885-1904): Foundation and Early Policies; Social base of early Congress; Growth of Radical Nationalism.

UNIT-II

13

4. Responses to Rise of Congress: Government's policy towards Congress from Dufferin to Curzon; Syed Ahmad Khan's opposition; Partition of Bengal; Formation of Muslim League

5. THE SWADESHI MOVEMENT (1905-07):

Motives; Means of Mobilization; Techniques of Resistance; Extent of Support among the masses.

6. Situation Before World War I (1908-1914): The Indian Councils Act (1909); Abolition of the Partition (1911); The Problem of Turkey.

7. THE FIRST WORLD WAR AND INDIAN POLITICS (1914-1919):

The impact of World War I on Indian economy and politics; The Ghadr Party; Congress-League Pact (1916); the Home Rule Movement.

UNIT-III

13

8. EMERGENCE OF GANDHI:

Gandhi's Early Career, Ideas and Techniques of Mobilisation; Champaran; Kheda Movements; Ahmedabad Mill Strike.

9. Repression and Reform, 1919: Rowlatt Acts, and April Satyagraha; Government of India Act, 1919, Dyarchy; Nationalist Response.

10. THE NON-COOPERATION MOVEMENT, 1920-22

World after World War I; Khilafat and Non-Cooperation Movement, 1919-22; Method of Resistance; Extent of Mass Support; Withdrawal and its consequences.

DOCUMENTS

1. Surendra Nath Banerjee: *A Nation in Making*:

The Indian National Conference, pp.85-86.

The Indian National Congress, pp.98-99.

The Partition of Bengal, pp.184-89.

The Moderates and Extremists, pp.305-320.

Unit-I & II

2. C.H. Phillips

: The Evolution of India and Pakistan 1858-1947:

A.O. Hume on the aims and objects of Congress, 30 April, 1988, pp.141-143.

Lord Dufferin's Minute on Congress Movement 1888; pp.143-45.

Resolutions of the Indian National Congress, 185-1905, pp.151-56.

G.K. Gokhale's Presidential Speech, 27, December 1905, pp.156-59.

Resolution of Congress, 1906, pp.159-60.

Resolution on the Swadeshi Movement, 1906, p.161.

B.G. Tilak on the Tenets of the New Party, 2 January, 1907, pp.161-63.

G.K. Gokhale on India and British Empire, 4 February, 1907, p.163.

The Surat Split in 1907, pp.165-67. Unit-I & II

3. Syed Ahmad Khan and the National Congress:

(i) Speech at Lucknow, 28 December, 1887, pp.187-88.

(ii) Speech at Meerut, 14 March 1888, pp.188-89.

(iii) Muslims' Address to Lord Minto, 1 October, 1906, pp.190-92. Unit-II

4 M.K. Gandhi: The Story of My Experiments with Truth:

The Khedha Satyagraha, pp.264-265.

End of Khedha Satyagraha, pp. 267-268.

The Rowlatt Bills and My Dilemma, pp. 277-278.

'A Himalayan Miscalculation,' pp. 287-288.

The Amritsar Congress, pp. 295-296. Unit-III

Note: There will be three questions, one from each Unit (one out of these requiring comments on passages from the Documents, optional).

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

Bipan Chandra : Communalism in Modern India.

Bipan Chandra : Nationalism and communalism in Modern India.

Sumit Sarkar : Modern India, 1885-1947.

Sumit Sarkar : Swadeshi Movement in Bengal.

Sumit Sarkar : Writing Social History.

Anil Seal : The Emergence of Indian Nationalism.

S. Gopal : Evolution of British Policy in India, 1858-1905.

Partha Chatterji : Nationalist Thought and Colonial World

Benedict Anderson : Imagined Communities

Achin Vanaik	:	Communalism Contested
Sukomal Sen	:	<i>Working Class of India.</i>
Gyan Pandey	:	<i>Construction of Communalism in Colonial North India.</i>
Judith Brown	:	<i>Gandhi's Rise to Power.</i>
Ravinder Kumar	:	<i>The Making of a Nation-Essays on Indian History and Politics.</i>
D.A. Low (ed.)	:	<i>Congress and the Raj.</i>
D.A. Low	:	<i>British and Indian Nationalism.</i>
Anil Seal, et. al. (eds.)	:	<i>Locality, Province and Nation.</i>
C.A. Bayly	:	<i>Origins of Nationality in South Asia.</i>
Shahid Amin	:	<i>Event, Metaphor, Memory – Chauri Chaura, 1922.</i>
Peter Van Der Veer	:	<i>Religious Nationalism.</i>
Francis Robinson	:	<i>Separatism Among Indian Muslims.</i>
K.N. Panikar (ed.)	:	<i>Communalism in India-History, Politics and Culture.</i>
Mushirul Hasan	:	<i>Nationalism and Communal Politics in India.</i>
Ranjit Guha, ed.	:	Subaltern Studies Vol. 1-XII (Selected articles)
		<i>A Subaltern Studies Reader</i>
Burton Stein	:	<i>A History of India.</i>
Sugata Bose & Ayesha Jalal	:	<i>Modern South Asia.</i>
Sekhar Bandyopadhyaya	:	From Plassey to Partition
Barbara Metcalfe and	:	<i>A Concise History of India.</i>
Thomas Metcalfe		
W.C. Smith	:	<i>Modern Islam in India.</i>

HS-7021: EUROPE 1815-1870

Teacher: Dr. Waseem Raja

Total No. of Lectures= 40

UNIT-I

1. The Triumph of Reaction: 1815-1823:
 - (a) The settlement of Vienna and the concert of Europe. The political balance of power. Mathrich:
 - (b) The ideologies: Reaction; Romanticism and Christian revival; German idealism; various forms of liberalism; nationalism.
2. The Political Evolution of the West European States 1823-1830
 - (a) Frances. The problems of the restoration regime.
 - (b) The decay of the Ottoman Empire; and Serbian and Greek Independence.
 - (c) Developments in Italy: Mazzini end 'Young Italy'
3. The Revolutionary Movements of 1830:
 - a) The July Revolution in France and the establishment of the 'liberal' monarchy.
 - b) The Belgian revolution.

UNIT-II

4. Revolutions of 1848:
 - (a) Causes and Nature: Liberalism and Nationalism in 1848. The aspirations of the working class.
 - (b) Utopian Socialism; the Communist Manifesto.
 - (c) Extent of success or failure of various elements in the Revolutions.
5. Industrial And Economic Advance in Western Europe 1815-1870:
 - (a) Industrial development in France.
 - (b) Emergence of Germany as an Industrial power.
 - (c) Free Trade vs Economic Nationalism.

UNIT-III

6. Unification of Italy: 1850-1871:
 - a. The Struggle between Conservatism and Liberalism.
 - b. The stages of Italian Unification.
7. Unification of Germany 1850-1871:
 - a. Prussia and Austria, the struggle for power and leadership of German states.
 - b. Factors leading to the formation of the Bismarckian Reich.
 - c. The creation of the dual monarchy of Austria-Hungry.
8. The Rebrpublic and Second Empire in France 1851-70:

- a. The nature of the Second French Republic under Louis Napoleon Bonaparte.
- b. The domestic and foreign policies of Napoleon III during the second Empire.

DOCUMENTS

G.A.Kertesz	:	<i>Documents in the Political History of the European Continent 1815-1939.</i>
No.5	:	Quadruple Alliance, 20 Nov. 1815.
No.6	:	Congress of Aix-la Chapalle, 1818.
No.9	:	Congress of Verone, 1822.
No.14	:	Constitutional charter, 4 June 1814 (France).
No.15	:	Law of Compensation of Émigré's 3 Jan 1825 (France).
No.21	:	Revised Constitutional Charter 7, Aug., 1830.
No.25.	:	Carlsbad Decrees, 20 Sept., 1819 (Germany)
No.27	:	The Customs Union Treaty, 22 March, 1833 (Germany)
No.32	:	First Proclamation of Provisional Govt. 25 Feb. 1848. (France).
No.33	:	Decree on the Right to Work, 25 Feb., 1848 (France).
No.35	:	The National Workshops, Feb., March 1848 (France).
No.39	:	Manifesto of the society of the Rights of Man, I May 1848 (France).
No.41	:	Order dissolving National Workshops, 24 May June 1848 (France)
No.44	:	Demands of the German People, March, 1848.
No.45	:	The Heidelberg Meeting of Liberals, 5 March 1848 (Germany)
No.47	:	Laws Passed by the Diet, March-April 1848.
No.56	:	The Demands of the Hungarians, 14-15 March 1848.
No.71	:	Constitution of the North German Confederation, 14 June 1867.
No.73	:	The Eisenach Programme of the Social Democratic Labour Party, Aug., 1869 (Germany).
No.78	:	The Re-establishment of the Empire, Nov.-Dec., 1852 (France).
No.83	:	Insurrectionary Manifestoes, 1831 (Italy)
No.84	:	General Instructions for the Members of Young Italy, 1841.

M.A. Second Semester

HSM-8001: HISTORICAL METHOD: MODERN AND CONTEMPORARY HISTORIOGRAPHY

Teacher: Prof. Shireen Moosvi

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

14

RISE OF MODERN HISTORIOGRAPHY

1. Gibbon & inter-civilizational history. Hegel, Ranke and the German School.
2. Historical Materialism; Karl Marx's, concepts of social evolution, class, successive modes of production, superstructure, ideas vs. material forces.
3. Cyclical theory of civilizations: Spengler, Toynbee.
4. Max Weber: 'Sociological' approach to History.

UNIT-II

CURRENT TRENDS AND INDIAN HISTORIOGRAPHY 13

3. Marc Bloch: Comprehensive and Comparative History. Lewis Namier's structural analysis'.
4. Contemporary Trends: 'World-System' analysis (Braudel). 'New History' (Ladurie). 'Post-modernism' (Edward Said) and 'Subalternity' (Rajnit Guha).
5. Indian Historiography: Contributions of European Orientalism. Imperialist and Nationalist Schools: H.E. Elliot, V.A. Smith; R.C. Dutt and Mohammad Habib. Communal trends (R.C. Majumdar and I.H. Qureshi). Marxist trends (D.D. Kosambi, R.P. Dutt).

UNIT-III

HISTORICAL INVESTIGATION & WRITING 13

4. Categories of sources: (Primary documents; secondary sources, contemporary texts; later texts; oral testimony). Criteria of source criticism: linguistic tests; internal consistency; comparison with other sources; motivation behind documents (private motives vs. public declarations).
5. Application of Quantitative Methods: Purpose, Simple statistical devices. Aggregates vs. Samples. Counterfactual history (e.g. econometric history of Fogel and others).
6. Language-studies & reconstruction of 'unwritten' history. Problems of historical mapping. Place names. Oral history.
7. How to write: Style and substance. System of referencing. Modes of preparation of Bibliography. Index.

Note: *There will be three questions, one from each Unit.*

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

- E.H. Carr : *What is History*
M. Bloch : *The Historian's Craft*.
W.H. Walsh : *Philosophy of History*.
Patrick Gardener : *Theories of History*
G.R. Elton : *Practice of History*
J.W. Thompson : *History of Historical Writing*.
G.P. Gooch : *History and Historians in the Nineteenth Century*.
R.G. Collingwood : *The Idea of History*.
Le Roy Ladurie : *Territory of the Historian, Chapters 2, 3 and 7*
J.R. Hale : *The Evolution of British Historiography from Bacon to Namier*.
Jarzy Topoiski : *Methodology of History, esp. Parts V & VI*
Carale Fink : 'Marc Bloch – A Life in History' *Journal of Modern History*, vol. 44, 1972, pp.447-539.
Stuart Clask : 'The Annales Historians', in Q. Skinner (ed.), *The Return of Grand Theory in the Human Sciences*, pp.177-198.
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Ellen M. Wood, : 'Falling through the Cracks: E.P. Thompson and the Debate on Base and Superstructure', *Ibid.*, pp.125-152.
Amal Tripathi : 'The Whirling of Time', (Presidential Address), *PIHC*, Aligarh Session, 1994.
G. Prakash : 'Writing Post-orientalist Histories of the Third World, Perspectives from Indian Historiography'. (*Comparative Studies in Society and History*, vol.32, 1990).
Aijaz Ahmad : *In Theory*.
Irfan Habib : *Interpreting Indian History*.
Irfan Habib : 'In Defence of Orientalism – Critical Notes on Edward Said', *Social Scientist* Vol. 33 (1-2).
Shireen Moosvi : *Open Door Indian History* (Presidential address to A.P. History, Congress 1996).
Edward Said : 'Orientalism (esp. postscript to 1996 edition)
Ralph Berry : *How to write a Research Paper*.

HSM-8002: MODERN WORLD (1871-1918)

Teacher: Mr. M. K. Zaman

No. of Lectures: 40

UNIT – I

14

1. **The German Empire: Bismarck:**

The Imperial Constitution. Bismarck as Chancellor.

Bismarck's political allies and opponents.

Kulturkampf; Anti-socialist Law; Social Insurance.

Bismarckian Foreign Policy – Three Emperor's League;

Congress of Berlin – Dreikaiser bund; Reinsurance Treaty.

Colonial expansion and relations with England.

2. **William II and the German Reich:**

Fall of Bismarck. Collapse of the Bismarckian system of alliances. Characteristics of new course. Economic expansion. German industrial development. Emergence of Weltpolitik and its diplomacy. Naval programme of Tirpitz. Kruger telegram. Encirclement and self isolation of Germany.

3. **The Third Republic in France:**

Government of National Defence. Paris commune-its failure. Establishment of Third Republic. The constitutional laws. Educational Reforms of Jules Ferry. Boulanger Affair. The Dreyfus case.

UNIT-II

13

4. **China and Western Powers:**

Sino-Japanese war. Reform movement in China. Western Imperialism and open-door policy of USA. Boxer Rebellion and Boxer protocol.

Tung Meng Hui – Revolution of 1911 – Fall of Manchus.

Sun Yat Sen - Yuan Shih Kai – Republic

5. **New Imperialism:**

The nature of colonial Expansion. The Re-emergence of protectionism.

Rise of New Imperialism: political and Social interpretations – Robert Seeley, Cecil Rhodes, Rudyard Kipling etc.

Economic interpretations – Hobson, Lenin, Hilferding, Robinson- Gallagher etc.

6. **The European powers and the Ottoman Empire 1870-1914:**

1875. Financial crisis in Ottoman Empire and the accession of Sultan Abdul Hamid. Revolt in Bosnia – Herzegovina.

Russo-Turkish war of 1877. Treaty of San Stephano. Congress of Berlin and the Treaty of Berlin. Annexation of Bosnia and Herzegovina by Austria. The Two Balkan Wars.

UNIT-III

13

7. **Awakening in the Arab World:**

Young Ottoman Movement. Ziya Gokalp.

Young Turk Revolution of 1905.

Suez Canal. Struggle for Freedom and Reform in Egypt:
Arabi Uprising. Dual control of England and France: Cromer Era.

8. Czarist Regime – Last phase:

Alexander III and reactionary policies.
Russo-Japanese War. 1905 Revolution.
Political changes. Stolypin Reforms.
The Bolshevik Revolution – Causes. March Revolution.
October Revolution. Lenin.

9. First World-War:

New Groupings of European states. Anglo-German Naval Rivalry.
Diplomatic background of the I World-War. The July crisis of 1914. Outbreak of
the War. Factors behind the defeat of the Central powers.

Note: There will be three questions, One from each Unit.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

1. E.J. Hobsbacom: *The Age of Empire, 1875-1915.*
2. David Thomson: *Europe Since Napoleon.*
3. Agatha Ramm: *Germany 1789-1919.*
4. William L. Langer: *Diplomacy of Imperialism.*
5. William L. Langer: *European Alliances & Alignments.*
6. Armajani & Ricks: *The Middle East – Past and Present.*
7. M.S. Anderson: *The Ascendancy of Europe 1815-1914.*
8. G.P. Gooch: *Studies in the Diplomacy and Statecraft.*
9. Lipson, E.: *Europe in the 19th Century and 20th Century.*
10. Andrew Porter: *European Imperialism, 1860-1914.*
11. Norman Stone: *Europe Transformed 1878-1919.*
12. James Joll: *The Origins of the First World War.*
13. Pinson: *Modern Germany.*
14. Erich Eyck: *Bismarck and the German Empire.*
15. A. Cobban: *A History of Modern France, 3 vols.*
16. Geiss, Imanuel: *German Foreign Policy, 1871-1914.*
17. Laurence Lafore: *The Long Fuse.*
18. A.J.P. Taylor: *Bismarck*
19. Alan Wood: *The Origins of the Russian Revolution 1861-1917.*
20. Jaroslav Krejci: *Great Revolutions Compared.*
21. Andrew Wheat Croft: *The World Atlas of Revolutions.*
22. J.P.T. Bury: *France 1814-1914*
23. Latourette, K.S.: *A History of Modern China.*
24. Clyde, Paul Hibbert: *The Far East.*
25. Florinsky, M.T.: *Russia.*

**HSM-8003: GENDER RELATIONS IN INDIAN HISTORY:
THE COLONIAL PERIOD**

Teacher: Dr. Shadab Bano

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

COLONIAL ECONOMY AND GENDER RELATIONS

1. Colonial Economy and Gender Relations in the 19th Century: 'De-industrialization' and the Domestic Economy, Commercialization of Agriculture and the shifts in women's production activities; Colonial Economy and the Informal economy.
2. Women in Plantations, Mines and Factories: Working Conditions and Wages for Women; women's unions; Labour and Factory laws for women; gender relations in factories.

UNIT-II

WOMEN AND GENDER IN SOCIAL REFORMS

1. The 'Woman Question' in Social Reform: Women's Reform in Bengal Renaissance; Movement for Women's Education; Women's Reform in the Aligarh movement.
2. Women as Reformers: Pandita Ramabai; Ruquia Sakhawat Hussain; Women in Progressive Writer's Movement-Ismat Chughtai.

UNIT-III

NATIONALISM AND GENDER RELATIONS

1. Women and Gender in the National Movement: Women's Participation in Nationalist Struggle; Women in Gandhian Nationalism. The Karachi Resolution, 1931; Women in Peasant and Tribal Struggles.
2. All India Women's Conference (AIWC): Movement for Women's Rights

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

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| J. Krishnamurty | : | <i>Women in colonial India</i> ; Essays on Survival, Work and the State. |
| Geraldine Forbes | : | <i>Women in Colonial India</i> ; Essays on Politics, Medicine and Historiography. |
| Samita Sen | : | <i>Women and Labour in late Colonial India: The Bengal Jute Industry.</i> |
| Radha Kumar | : | <i>History of Doing</i> |
| Kumkum Sanghari & Sudesh Vaid (ed.) | : | <i>Recasting Women; Essays in Colonial History</i> |
| Leela Kasturi & Vina Muzumdar | : | <i>Women and Indian Nationalism</i> |
| Peter Custers | : | <i>Women in Tebhaga Uprising</i> |
| Janaki Nair | : | <i>Women and Law in Colonial India.</i> |

- Barbara Southard : Women's Movement and Colonial Politics in Bengal, the Quest for Political rights, Education and Social Reform Legislation (1921-1936).
- Shahida Lateef : Women in India, Public and Private Realities.
- Gail Minault : Secluded Scholars.
- Aparna Basu & Bharati Ray: The All-India Women's Conference, 1927-1900.

HS-8004: TECHNOLOGY AND SOCIETY IN INDIA c. 1200 to 1850

Teacher: Dr. M. Parwez

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

1. Nature of Evidence for History of Medieval Indian technology (textual, pictorial).
2. Agricultural Technology: Preparation of the Soil; Tools and Techniques of cultivation: Sowing Practices; Methods of Irrigation; Water lift; manures. New Crops; Crop Rotation; Oil, Sugar and Indigo extraction.
3. Textile Technology:
Processing of cotton, wool and other fabrics (collection, ginning and carding).
Whorls and spindles; cotton gin; weaving.
Bleaching, dyeing, painting and printing.
Main types of cloth produced.
4. Transport Technology:
Beasts of burden.
Wheeled Vehicles;
Ship-building.

UNIT-II

5. Extractive Industries:
Mining (salt, saltpeter and diamond mining; stone quarries).
Raw material from animals; leather industry.
6. Chemical Practices and Technology:
Glass technology (Beads; bangles; mirrors; spectacles; sand –glass; hubbles).
Metallurgy: Iron extraction, Damascened Steel, Zinc.
Tin-coating, Manufacture of Paper, Distillation.
7. Civil Engineering:
Building technology (building material, structures haulage devices).
Roads, bridges, Dams.

UNIT-III

8. Military Technology:
Stirrup and Saddle.
Arms and Armour.
Gun powder, Fire-arms (hand gun and cannon).
9. Time-Reckoning Technology:

- Clepsydras.
Sun-dials, sand-glass, etc.
European mechanical clocks.
10. introduction of European Technology and Patterns of Response. Extent of use of Belt-drive, gear, crank, screw, pulleys, capstan, bow-drill.
 12. Capacity of technological changes: major explanations.

DOCUMENTS

Abul FAzl, *Ain-i-Akbari* (Vol. I book I, tr. H. Blochmann) *Ain*, 28; passage on distillation only; *Ain* 36; on Guns; *Ain* 37: on Matchlocks, etc., *Ain* 88: on estimates of House building).

NOTE: The candidate will be expected to attempt three questions, one from each Unit.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

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| A.H.Dani et. al. | : | <i>History of Humanity</i> , vols. I to V (relevant Sections on Agriculture and Textiles). |
| Irfan Habib | : | <i>Agrarian System of Mughal India</i> (Revised edition, Chapter on Agriculture) |
| Jean Deloche | : | <i>A History of Transport in India</i> , 2 Vols. |
| Dharampal | : | <i>Indian Science and Technology in the Eighteenth Century</i> (Chap. VII & IX) |
| A.I. Chicherov | : | <i>India: Economic Development in 16th – 18th Centuries</i> |
| A.J. Qaisar | : | <i>Indian Response to European Technology and Culture</i> , |
| A.J. Qaisar | : | <i>Building construction in Mughal India</i> . |
| I.A. Khan & R. Kumar | : | “The Mansagar Dam”, in Ray and Bagchi eds.,
<i>Tech. In Ancient and Medieval India</i> . |
| A. Rahman | : | <i>The History of Indian Science and Technology</i> ,
1000-1600 A.D., O.U.P., 1999. |
| Francis Buchanan | : | Relevant accounts of the Districts of Shahabad,
Bhagalpur, Purnea, Bihar Patna and Mysore in separate
volumes. |
| W. Irvine | : | <i>The Army of the Indian Mughals</i> . |
| P.K. Gode | : | <i>Studies in Indian Cultural History</i> , vols. I, & III
(relevant articles). |
| D.M. Bose, S.N.Sen
Subbarayappa, eds. | : | <i>A Concise History of Science in India</i> (relevant
portions only) |
| M.A. Alavi & A.Rahman | : | <i>Fathullah Shirazi – A Sixteenth century Indian Scientist</i> . |
| S.P.Verma | : | <i>Art and Material Culture in the Paintings of
Akbar’s Court</i> (chap. 8 & 9 only). |
| Simon Digby | : | <i>War – Horse and Elephant in the Delhi Sultanate</i> . |

- T. Schioler : *Roman and Islamic Water-Lifting Wheels.*
 Anirudha Ray & S.K. Bagchi, ed,: *Technology in Ancient and Medieval India.*
 R.C. Butohia : *The Evolution of Artillery in India (From the battle of Plassey to the Revolt of 1857), Allied, 1998.*
 P.C. Ray : *History of Chemistry in Ancient and Medieval India, Calcutta, 1956.*
 Iqtidar Alam Khan : *Gunpowder and Firearms: Warfare in Medieval India, OUP., Delhi 2004.*

ARTICLES:

- M. Akram Makhdoome : 'Gunpowder Artillery in the reign of Sultan Iltutmish of Delhi', *Journal of Indian History*, IV, August, 1936,.
 - do - : 'Mechanical Artillery in Medieval India' , *Journal of Indian History*, XV, August, 1936.
 Lynn White, Jr. : 'Tibet India and Malaya As Sources of Western Medieval Technology', *American History Review*, LXV, No.3, April, 1960.
 Irfan Habib : Technological changes and society (13th & 14th Centuries) (Presidential Address, Medieval India Section, *Indian History Congress*, Varanasi, 1969).
 - do - : "Peasant in Indian History" in Irfan Habib, *Essays in Indian History – a Marxist Interpretation*, New Delhi, 1996.
 - do - : 'Technology and Economy of Mughal India', *Indian Economic and Social History Review* Vol. XVII, No.1, 1981.
 -do- : 'Joseph Needham and the History of Indian Technology' *Indian Journal of History Sciences* 35. 3(2000) pp.245-274.
 -do- : 'Changes in Technology in Medieval India', *Studies in History*, vol. II, No.1, 1980.
 -do - : 'Technology and Barriers to Technological Change in Mughal India" (*The Indian Historical Review*, July 1978 – January 1979, Vol. V, Nos. 1-2, pp.152-74).
 - do - : "Medieval Technology: Exchanges between India and the Islamic World', *Aligarh Journal of Oriental Studies*, Vol. 2 (No. 1-2).
 - do - : 'Pursuing the history of Indian Technology, Pre-Modern Modes of Transmission of Power', *Social Scientists*, vol. 20, Nos. 3-4, March-April 1992, pp.1-22.

- Ghori & A. Rahman : `Paper Technology in Medieval India' *Indian Journal of History of Science* Vol. I, No.2 ,1956.
- Ishrat Alam : "Diamond Mining and Trade" Procs. I.H.C., 1998.
- Abha Singh : "Irrigating Haryana – History of the West Yamuna Canal", *Medieval India – 1*.
- A.J. Qaisar : `Ship-building in the Mughal Empire during the Seventeenth Century' *Indian Economic and Social History Review*, Vol. V, No.2, June 1968.
- do - : `Merchant Shipping in Indian during the Seventeenth Century' *Medieval India – A Misc.* No.2.
- do - : `Level of Technology in India on the Eve of the Eighteenth Century: The case of Glass' *Studies in History*, Vol. II, No.1, 1980.
- do- : `The Exposure – Response Syndrome: the case of Medieval India' Presidential Address, Medieval Indian Section, *Proceedings of Indian History of Congress*, Goa, 1987.
- do - : `Horseshoeing in Mughal India' *Indian Journal of History of Science*, Vol. 27, No.2, 1993.
- do - : `Agricultural Technology depicted in Mughal Paintings' *ITINERARIO*, No.2, Leiden, 1993.
- Ishrat Alam : "Iron Manufactures in Golconda in the 17th Century" Girija Pande and Jan of Geijerstam eds., *Tradition and Innovation in the History of Iron Making, An Indo European Perspective* , 2003- pp.98-111.
- Iqtidar Alam Khan : `Origin and Development of Gunpowder Technology in India, A.D. 1250-1500' *Indian Historical Review*, Vol. IV, No.1, July 1977.
- Iqtidar Alam Khan : `Early use of Cannon and Musket in India A.D., 1442-1526' *Journal of the Economic and Social History of the Orient*, Vol. XXIV, Part II, pp.146-164.
- I.G.Khan : Metallurgy in Medieval India-the case of the Cast-Iron Cannon, *Procs, I.H.C.*, 1984.
- do - : Metallurgy in Medieval India in, Ray & Bagchi *Technology in Ancient & Medieval India*.
- Ishrat Alam : "Textile Technology as depicted in Ajanta & Mughal Paintings" in Ray and Bagchi, eds. *Technology in Ancient & Medieval India*.
- H.K. Naqvi : `Dyeing of Cotton Goods in the Mughal Hindustan (1556-1803)' *Journal of Indian Textile History*, No. VII, 1967.
- A.J.Qaisar : `Response of Turkey and other Asian Countries to

- European Clocks & Watches during the 16th and 17th Centuries: A Comparative Study' paper presented at the First International congress on the History of Turkish-Islamic Sciences and Technology.
- Vijaya Ramaswamy : 'A Note on the Textile Technology in Medieval South India *Proceedings of the Indian History Congress*, Waltair, 1979.
- D. Schlingloff : Cotton Manufacture in Ancient India', *JESHO*, XVII, No.1, 1974. Pt. 1, (1974).
- I.H. Siddiqui : Science and Scientific Instruments in the Sultanate of Delhi', *P.I.H.C.* pp.137-148.
- Iqtidar Alam Khan : Nature of Gunpowder Artillery in India...", *JRAS*, Vol. IX(i), April 99.

Reference Books:

- J. Needham : *Science and Civilization in China* (see relevant sections only) .
- Hans E. Wulff : *The Traditional Crafts of Persia*
- Lynn White Jr. : *Medieval Technology and Social Change.*
- R.J. Forbes : *Studies in Ancient Technology*, Relevant Vols.
- Hill and Hasan : *Islamic Technology* (UNESCO).
- Zaheer Babur : *The Science of Empire*, Delhi, 1999.
- Gommans & Kolff : *Warfare and Weaponry in south Asia, 1000-1800*, Delhi, 2001.
- George Watt, : *The Dictionary of Economic Products of India*, (relevant entries in separate volumes).

HSM-8011: THE DAWN OF THE IRON AGE: VEDIC & LATER VEDIC SOCIETIES AND PROTO-DRAVIDIAN CULTURES

Teacher: Dr. M. K. Pundhir

Total No. of Lectures 40

Unit- I

1. Antecedents of Iron Age: the Ahar Culture

2. Introduction of Iron and its impact:-

(A) Iron Age Cultures:

1. Origin of Iron Technology in India
2. Megalithic Cultures
3. Painted Grey ware Culture
4. Northern Black Polished ware

(B) Agriculture and Pastoralism in Early Iron age

Unit- II

3. Early Vedic Age:

- a) Indo-European / Indo Aryan languages: their diffusion
- b) The Aryan Hypothesis and archaeological evidence
- c) The Rig Veda; language, date, subject matter and arrangement of contents
- d) Geography of the Rig Veda

4. Rig Vedic Age:

- a) Economy
- b) Society and Polity: The Emergence of four Varnas
- c) Religion
- d) Other aspects of culture

Unit – III

5. Later Vedic Age:

- a) The Vedic Corpus after the Rig Veda
- b) Economy
- c) Society and Polity
- d) Religion

6. Proto Dravidian Cultures:

- a) Megalithic Culture in South India
- b) Use of Iron in Proto-Dravidian Culture
- c) Significance of Megalithic Burials

Note: There will be three questions, one from each Unit.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

1. D.P.Agrawal : The Archaeology of India.

2. D.P.Agrawal & Dilip Chakrabarti : Essays in Indian Proto-History.
3. Bridget & FR Allchin : Rise of Civilization in India & Pakistan.
4. H.D. Sankalia : Pre and Protohistory of India and Pakistan.
5. B.P.Sinha : Potteries in Ancient India.
6. D. Mandal : Radio-carbon Dates and Indian Archaeology.
7. N.R.Banerjee : Iron Age in India.
8. Vibha Tripathi : Painted grey Ware Culture.
9. K.M. Srivastava : Community Movements in Pre-historic India.
10. A.C. Das : Rig Vedic Culture.
11. R.C. Majumdar (ed.) : The Vedic Age.
12. P.L. Bhargava : India in the Vedic Age.
13. D.D.Kosambi : The Culture and Civilization of Ancient India.
14. D.D.Kosambi : Introduction to the Study of Indian History.
15. Romila Thapar : Ancient Indian Social History.
16. Romila Thapar : Cultural Past(relevant articles).
17. Romila Thapar : Early India.
18. R.S. Sharma : Advent of the Aryans in India.
19. R.S. Sharma : Material Culture & Social Formation in Ancient India.
20. R.S. Sharma : Sudras in Ancient India.
21. R.S. Sharma : Light on Early Indian Society and Economy.
22. R.S. Sharma : Perspective in Social Economic History of India.
23. B.B. Lal : The Earliest Civilization of South asia.
24. Rajesh Kochar : The Vedic People.
25. N.K. Dutta : Origin and Growth of Caste in India, Vol. I
26. Irfan Habib & V. Thakur : The Vedic Age.

ARTICLES RECOMMENDED:

1. J.R.Mcintosh : "Dating of the South Indian Megaliths", in *South Asian Archaeology*, 1983.
2. Romila Thapar : "Puranic Lineages and Archaeological Cultures"
Puratattva, No.8.

REPORTS:

1. Excavations at inamgaon, Puna, 1988 by

HS-8012: POST-MAURYAN INDIA (200 BC-AD 300)

Teacher: Dr. Jaya Menon

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT I

- I Post-Mauryan North India: Polities in Flux 13
1. Sungas, Indo-Greeks, Indo-Parthians, Sakas, Kharavela
Contestations, territorial extents
 2. Kushanas
 - a) Origins and early rulers
 - b) Kanishka: Problems of chronology
 - c) Kingship and association with divinity

UNIT II

- II Deccan and South India: Emerging Polities 13
1. Satavahanas
 - a) Origins
 - b) Conflict over Western India
 - c) Relations with the Sakas
 2. Pre-State to State in Early Tamilakam

UNIT III

- III Society, Religion and Economy in the Post-Mauryan Period 14
1. Changes in society: concretisation of *varna*; codification of social rules, norms
 2. Urbanism and its impact on society and economy
 3. Economy: Land revenue, subsistence strategies, trade
 4. Culmination of early artistic styles: Mathura and Gandhara
 5. Apogee of Buddhism, Jainism and the beginnings of brahmanical cults

DOCUMENTS

1. *Epigraphia Indica* Vol. XX, pp. 86-87 (for Unit I)
2. *Epigraphic Indica* Vol. VIII, pp. 61-62 (for Unit II)
3. *Epigraphia Indica* Vol. VIII, p. 67 (for Unit II)
4. *Epigraphia Indica* Vol. VIII, pp. 82-83 (for Unit II)
5. Lionel Casson. 1989. *The Periplus Maris Erythraei*. Princeton, p. 81, para. 48, 49 (for Unit III)

Note: There will be Three questions, one from each Unit, one out of these requiring comments on passages from the Documents.

Books Recommended:

- Adhya, G.L. 1966. *Early Indian Economics*. Bombay.
- Champakalakshmi, R. 1996. *Trade, Ideology and Urbanization. South India 300 BC to AD 1300*. New Delhi.
- Ghosh, A. 1973. *The City in Early Historic India*. Shimla.
- Gurukkal, R. 1987. Aspect of early Iron Age economy: Problems of agrarian expansion in Tamilakam, in B.D. Chattopadhiyaya (ed.) *Essays in Ancient Indian Economic History*, pp.46-57, New Delhi.
- Gurukkal R. 1989. Forms of production and forces of change in ancient Tamil Society, *Studies in History*, 52 ns.: 159-175.
- Gurukkal, R. 1995. The beginnings of the historic period: The Tamil South. In R. Thapar ed., *Recent Perspectives of Early Indian History*, pp. 237-265. Bombay.
- Liu, X. 1988. *Ancient India and Ancient China*. New Delhi.
- Mukherjee, B.N. 1968. *Kushanas and the Deccan*. Calcutta.
- Mukherjee, B.N. 1970. *Economic Factors in Kushana History*. Calcutta.
- Mukherjee, B.N. 1988. *The Rise and Fall of the Kushana Empire*. Calcutta.
- Narain, A.K. 1980. *The Indo-Greeks*. Delhi.
- Olivelle, P. (ed.) 2006. *Between the Empires*, New York.
- Ray, H.P. 1986. *Monastery and Guild*. New Delhi.
- Sharma, R.S. 1983. *Perspectives in Social and Economic History of Early India*. New Delhi.
- Sharma, R.S. 2001. The Kali Age: A period of social crisis, in R.S. Sharma, *Early Medieval Indian Society*, pp.45-76, Hyderabad.
- Shastri, A.M. 1987. *Early History of the Deccan: Problems and Perspectives*, Delhi.
- Shastri, A.M.1999. *The Age of the Satavahanas*, Delhi.
- Thapar, R. 1978. *Ancient Indian Social History. Some Interpretations*. Hyderabad.
- Thapar, R. 2002. *Early India*. London.
- Warmington, E.H. 1928. *The Commerce between the Roman Empire and India*. Cambridge.
- Yazdani, G.1960. *Early History of the Deccan, London*.

HSM-8013: THE AGE OF INDIAN FEUDALISM (AD 650-1200)

Teacher: **Dr. Rashmi Upadhyaya**

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

14

1. Survey of Sources: Inscriptions, coins, Literature: etc.
2. Feudalism: Definition & Debate; Theories of R.S.Sharma, D.D. Kosambi & others.
3. Landgrants & their nature.
4. Development of Feudalism: Harsha & Post Harsha Political Structure, Origin of the Rajputras, Rise of the Rajput States.

UNIT-II

13

5. Hierarchy & Status of Superior Rightholders: Samantas, *Ranakas*, *Rajputras*, *Rawats*, *Thakkuras*, etc.
6. Transformations in the Military System during the Age of Feudalism.
7. Feudal Polity & Economy Feudalism in South: Segmentary State & Peasant Society (Burtan Stein & his critiques).

UNIT-III

13

8. Society: Caste System, Position of Women, Slavery.
9. Economy: Trade & Commerce, Urban Decay, Village Community.
10. Religion: Temple Economy.
11. Shavism, Vaisnavism & other religious sects.

DOCUMENTS

1. *Harshacharita* tr. Cowell & Thomas. PP. 48,124, 202.
2. Yuan Chwang, *Buddhist Records of the Western World*, tr. S. Beal, Book II pp.82-83, 87-90.
3. *Chachnamah* vol. I, tr. M. Kalichbeg Fredunbeg, pp.19-20,28,29,43,133,146,168.
4. *Rajtarangini* tr. M.A. Stein, Vol.I, VIII, v.548, V, vv.145-47, VII, v.360,v-1072.
5. Inscriptions:
 - a) *Kamauli Plate Inscription* dated vs 1190/AD 1133, E1,IV,19-21.
 - b) *Ratanpur Stone Inscription*, E1, xxvi, No.35,

Note: There will be Three questions, one from each Unit, one out of these requiring comments on passages from the Documents.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

Mac Bloch - *Feudal Society*

- T.J. Byres & Harbans Mukhia (ed) - *Feudalism and Non-European Societies.*
- R.S.Sharma - *Indian Feudalism*
- D.D. Kosambi - *An Introduction to the Study of the Indian History.*
- D.C. Sircar (ed.) - *Land System and Feudalism in Ancient India.*
- B.N.S. Yadav - *Society and culture in Northern India during the Twelfth Century.*
- B.D. Chattopadhyaya (ed.) - *The Making of Early Medieval India.*
- do- - *Representing 'the others'.*
- D.N.Jha - *Feudal Order.*
- Burton Stein - *Peasant State and Society in Early Medieval South India.*
- Lallanji Gopal - *Economic Life of Northern India C-AD 700-1200.*
- V. Balambal - *Feudatories of South India (800-1070 AD).*
- D.N.Jha - *Economy & Society in Early India; issues and Paradigms.*
- Om Prakash - *Early Indian Landgrants & State Economy.*
- R.S.Tripathi - *History of Kanaiy.*
- B.P. Mazumdar - *Socio-Economic History of Northern India.*
- Dashrath Sharma - *Rajasthan Through the Ages.*
- Dashrath Sharma - *Early Chauhan Dynasties.*

ARTICLES:

1. R.S. Sharma - "Landgrants to vassals and officials in Northern India (C.AD 1000-1200)", Journal of the Economic & Social History of the Orient, vol. IV, 1961.
2. D.D. Kosambi, - "Indian Feudal Trade Charters", Journal of the Economic & Social History of Orient, vol. II, 1959.
3. G.K. Rai - "Forced Labour in Ancient & Early Medieval India", IHR, Vol. III, No.1.
4. Lallanji Gopal - Medium of Exchange in Early Medieval India, JN 51, Vol. 25, Part-II, 1983.
5. Irfan Habib - "Peasant in Indian History", Presidential Address, PIHC, 1982, Kurukshetra.
6. B.N.S. Yadav - "Immobility and subjection of Peasantry in Early Medieval Complex", IHR, Vol. I, No.1, March 1974.
7. S.P.Gupta - "Reconstructing the Political and Economic Profile of Rajasthan", IHC, 1994, Presidential Address-Section 1.
8. D.N.Jha - "Relevance of Peasant State & Society" to Pallana – Chola Times, IHR, vol. VIII, Nos. 1-2, pp.74-94.
9. Elliot & Dowson (tr) - "History of India", vol. II, Aligarh, Reprint Prof. Mohd. Habib's Introduction.
10. Rashmi Upadhyaya - " Bhakti & Feudalism: An overview to the

11. D. Chattopadhyaya - Marxist Conception, Indica, Vol. 42 No.2.
Studying Early India.

HS-8027: HISTORY OF THE MUGHAL EMPIRE (1605-1658)

Teacher: Dr. Gulfishan Khan

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

14

1. SOURCES OF INFORMATION FOR JAHANGIR'S REIGN

Tuzuk-i Jahangiri and Iqbalnama-i Jahangiri; Maasir-i-Jahangiri; Accounts of Thomas Roe and Pelsaert their contents and value.

2. ACCESSION OF JAHANGIR AND EARLY MEASURES – 1605-1611

(a) Accession crisis. Role of the Nobility in the crisis and factional, racial and religious considerations. Rise of Jahangir Shahi nobility.

(b) Jahangir's measures after accession: 'The Twelve Edicts' and their significance. Revolt of Khusrau and its effects on Jahangir's attitude and policies. Reconciliation with Akbar-Shahi nobles.

3. THE PERIOD OF STABILITY AND EXPANSION – 1611-1621

(a) Marriage with Nur Jahan and the rise of Itimadud-Daula's family and Prince Khurram. 'The Nur Jahan Junta'. Growing tension in the ruling Class.

(b) Administrative measures: regulations of 6th R.Y. Gradual decrease in area under *khalisa* – its causes and effects, changes in the *mansab* system

(c) Jahangir and the Rajputs: Role of Rajput houses in accession crisis. Relations with the Kachwahs and the Rathors. War and peace with Sisodias. The Mewar Settlement of 1614.

(d) Jahangir and the Deccan: Mughal position in the Deccan in 1605. Rise of Malik Ambar; his reforms and measures. The Mughal offensive. Settlement of 1616 and 1621. The conquest of Kangra and Kishtwar (1620).

4. EXPANSION OF TRADE WITH EUROPE

The so-called "Trade Revolution". The establishment of Dutch and English trade in India. Their relations with the Mughal court. Visits of Hawkins and Roe. Impact of new commerce on Indian economy. Influx of bullion; increase in prices.

UNIT-II

13

5. THE LAST PHASE OF JAHANGIR'S REIGN 1622-27

Crisis and revolts: Failing health of Jahangir, death of Khusrau. Counter-weights against Shah Jahan, Parwez and Shahryar. The Rebellion of Shah Jahan and the *coup* of Mahabat Khan.

6. THE NORTH-WEST FRONTIER PROBLEM

The North-west frontier of the Mughal empire. The Afghans, Raushanyas and the Hazaras. Relations with the Uzbeks and the Safavis. The Qandahar and the Safavis. The Qandahar question. Fall of Qandahar (1622) and its aftermath. The so-called collusion between the Deccan States and the Persians against the Mughals.

7. JAHANGIR'S RELIGIOUS POLICY

Personal views; appreciation of Akbar's policy, commitment at accession. General policy and measures. Attitude towards Guru Arjan and the Sikhs. Nurullah Shustari, Jadrup Gosain, Shaikh Ahmad Sirhindi and the Jains.

8. SOURCES OF INFORMATION FOR SHAH JAHAN'S REIGN

Padshahnamah of Qazwini; Badshahnamah of Lahori, Padshahnamah of Waris; Amal-i-Salih; Adab-i-Alamgiri and other collections of letters.

9. ACCESSION OF SHAH JAHAN AND ADMINISTRATIVE MEASURES

The conflict for the throne. Enthronement of Shah Jahan. Financial problem at the time of accession. The *Khalisa* area, changes in *Khalisa* administration and tax structure. Changes in *mansab system*; the month scales and contingent regulations.

10. SHAH JAHAN AND THE NOBILITY

Role of senior nobles in Shah Jahan's succession. Asaf Khan, Mahabat Khan and Khan Jahan Lodi. The rebellion of Khan Jahan and policy towards the Afghans. Rebellion of Jujhar Singh. Policy towards the Rajputs. Shah Jahan's attempts for maintaining balance among sections in the nobility.

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11. DECCAN UNDER SHAH JAHAN – IST PHASE (1628-1636)

Mughal position in the Deccan in 1628. Nizam Shahi Kingdom after Malik Ambar. Shah Jahan's plans in the Deccan; political and religious considerations. Mughal expeditions. Role of Bijapur and Golconda. The Treaty of 1636 and its terms and significance.

12. SHAH JAHAN AND THE NORTH-WEST- THE UZBEKS

Mughal reaction to Uzbek attack on Afghanistan (1628). Mughal ambitions in the region. Recovery of Qandahar (1638) and abortive attacks on Uzbeks. The Uzbek civil war and Mughal expansion across Hindukush (1646-1647). Mughal withdrawal and its causes and consequences.

13. SHAH JAHAN AND THE NORTH-WEST: THE SAFAVIDS

Shah Jahan's concern for Qandahar. Diplomatic relations with the Safavids. The occupation of Qandahar (1638). Recovery of Qandahar by the Persians (1648). Failure of Mughal expeditions for its recapture (1649-53). Assessment of Shah Jahan's north-west policy.

14. THE DECCAN, SECOND PHASE – 1653-58

Effects of Mughal pre-occupation and failure in north-west on Deccan politics (1646-53). Expansion of the Deccan States in Karnatak. Emergence of Shahji Bhonsle and Mir Jumla.

The Second Viceroyalty of Aurangzeb. Reforms of Murshid Quli Khan in Mughal Deccan. The forward policy of Aurangzeb against Bijapur and Golconda and the clash of interests and strategies of Aurangzeb and Dara Shukoh.

15. RELIGIOUS CLIMATE UNDER SHAH JAHAN

(a) Shah Jahan's religious views and policy measures. Dara Shukoh-his views, activities and influence on religious policy of the state and political situation.

(b) Shah Jahan's and Dara Shukoh's patronage to poets and scholars. Translation of Sanskrit works into Persian.

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Qanungo	:	<i>Dara Shikoh.</i>
S.R. Sharma	:	<i>The Religious Policy of the Mughal Emperors.</i>
S.A.A.Rizvi	:	<i>Muslim Revivalist Movements in India during the 16th & 17th centuries.</i>
W.H. Moreland	:	<i>India at the Death of Akbar.</i>
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HS-8016: THE REIGN OF AURANGZEB (1659-1707)

Teacher: Dr. Syed Ali Nadeem Rezavi

Total Number of Lectures = 40

UNIT – I

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1. SOURCES OF AURANGZEB'S REIGN:

Histories (esp.) *Alamgirnama*; *Ma'asir-i Alamgiri*; *Nuskha-i Dilkusha*; *Muntakhab ul Lubab*. Traveller's accounts: Tavernier; Bernier; Manucci. English 'factory' records. Other sources: *Akhbarat*; State documents; *Insha* collections; Biographical dictionaries; Administrative manuals.

2. WAR OF SUCCESSION AND ITS EFFECTS:

Political problems in Shahjahan's late years and the outbreak of the war of succession. The course of the war. Factors for Aurangzeb's success. Factional and Religious issues involved. Effects of the War on Mughal polity.

3. EARLY YEARS OF AURANGZEB'S REIGN:

- a. Factors behind a Forward Policy: Invasion of Kuch Bihar and Assam by Mir Jumla. Dealing with Shivaji and the Deccan states' annexation.
- b. Agrarian Crisis and its causes. The Scarcity of the first decade. Bernier's theory of Empire's decline and its causes. Revenue measures. *Farmans* to Rasikdas and Muhammad Hashim. Gradual increase in area under *khalisa*.

4. REVOLTS IN NORTHERN INDIA:

The revolts of the Jats, the Satnamis and the Sikhs. Their nature and effects. The Afghan rebellion: Tribal factors.

UNIT – II

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5. RELIGIOUS POLICY:

Aurangzeb's training and temperament; Political considerations and evaluation of his religious policy. Religious measures. Attitude towards orthodoxy and the non-Muslims. The policy of *madad-i ma'ash* grants. Discriminatory taxation and temple-destruction. Imposition of Jizya (1679). The contradictions of Aurangzeb's religious policy. A 'theocratic' state under Aurangzeb?

6. AURANGZEB AND THE RAJPUTS:

Role of principal Rajput chiefs in the war of succession. Reconciliation and mutual relations. The Rathore Rebellion of 1679. Its causes and consequences. Relations with Mewar.

7. SHIVAJI AND RISE OF THE MARATHAS:

- a. Aurangzeb's attitude towards Bijapur and Golconda.
- b. Rise of Shivaji and Mughal-Maratha relations till the Treaty of Purandhar (1665). Shivaji's visit to Agra and causes of break-up with Aurangzeb.
- c. Emergence of Maratha power. Coronation of Shivaji and its significance; Administration of Shivaji; *Chauth* and *Sardeshmukhi*.

8. THE POST-SHIVAJI PHASE – 1680-1707:

- a. Maratha State under Sambhaji (1680-1689): Aurangzeb's arrival in the Deccan. Annexation of Bijapur and Golkunda and its political, administrative and economic implications.
- b. Re-emergence of Maratha power under Raja Ram (1689-1707). Effects of Aurangzeb's Deccan policy on state and administration. Causes of the success of the Marathas and Mughal failure.

UNIT – III

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9. PROBLEMS OF EMPIRE IN AURANGZEB'S LATE YEARS:

Composition of the nobility: Racial and religious groups. The influx of the Deccani elements. Crisis in the *Jagirdari* system. Its causes and effects. The factional struggle in the ruling class. Greater use of musket and artillery and its effect on military organisation.

10. INDIA AND THE WORLD TRADE IN THE LATER HALF OF THE 17TH CENTURY:

The opening up of Bengal to the Dutch and English companies. The Mughal attitude towards the companies. The Anglo-Mughal War. Economic consequences of the bullion influx. The Price Revolution controversy. Thesis of Companies vs. Pedlars.

11. CULTURE DURING AURANGZEB'S REIGN:

Decay in court patronized arts: Architecture, Painting, Music. Court-Patronized theology: *Fatawa-i 'Alamgiri*. Bernier's critique of conditions, education and learning. State of secular sciences. Evolution of Deccani Urdu and *rekhta* (Jafar Zatalli).

12. FACTORS FOR THE DECLINE OF THE MUGHAL EMPIRE:

The major theories. Possible roles of (a) failure of administration (Satish Chandra); (b) agrarian crisis (Irfan Habib); (c) gunpowder and changes in military techniques (Iqtidar A.Khan); (d) relative cultural decline (M.Athar Ali); (e) religious problem (Jadunath Sarkar); (f) shift of loyalties of 'Great Firms' and corporate groups (Karen Leonard, Bayly & Co.). Questions of reality of "Empire" and its "decline" (Burton Stein and others).

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S.A.A. Rizvi	<i>Muslim Revivalist Movements in India During the 16th and the 17th Centuries</i>
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M. Athar Ali	<i>Mughal India: Studies in Polity, Ideas, Society, and Culture</i>
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Christopher Bayly	<i>Rulers, Townsmen and Bazaars: North Indian Society in the Age of British Expansion, 1780-1870</i>
Satish Chandra	<i>Medieval India, Society, the Jagirdari Crisis and the Village</i>
Satish Chandra	<i>Mughal Religious Policies – the Rajputs and the Deccan</i>
Satish Chandra	<i>Parties and Politics at the Mughal Court 1707-1739</i> (Introduction)
Irfan Habib	<i>The Agrarian System of Mughal India</i>
John F. Richards	<i>The Mughal Empire</i>
John F. Richards	<i>Mughal Administration in Golconda</i>
N. Steensgaard	<i>The Asian Trade Revolution of the Seventeenth Century</i> (Chapters I-IV)

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HSM-8017: THE EIGHTEENTH CENTURY: SOCIETY, CULTURE AND ECONOMY

Teacher: Dr. Tahmina Jawed

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

13

1. THEORIES OF MUGHAL DECLINE:

Theory of agrarian crisis (Irfan Habib); Theory of cultural failure (M. Athar Ali); The 'Great Firm' theory (Karen Leonard); Economic growth as an explanation of Mughal decline (The 'Revisionist' School).

2. THE IMPACT OF MUGHAL DECLINE:

Shifts in agrarian relations; Impact on cultivation and agricultural productivity; Trade and commerce; Rise of regional centres of cultural patronage; The emergence of *ashobname* as a literary genre; Re-structuring of social hierarchies.

UNIT-II

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3. INDIAN ECONOMY BEFORE BRITISH COLONIALISM:

Agrarian relations; Conditions of the peasantry; Overseas trade and commerce; Merchant communities; Internal trade; The thesis of 'the rise of corporate groups' and growth ('Revisionist School' and its critics)

4. RELIGIOUS REVIVALIST AND REFORMIST MOVEMENTS:

Shah Waliullah's religious and political thought; The Chishtiya Silsilah; The Naqshbandi Silsilah; Mirza Mazhar Jan-i Janan; Popular millinerian and protest movements; The Sikh movement; Religious syncretism; Sectarian conflicts.

5. SOCIETY AND CULTURE IN EIGHTEENTH CENTURY:

Gender relations; Forms of popular resistance; Criminality and deviance; Social conflicts; The emergence of the 'public sphere'.

UNIT-III

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6. ESTABLISHMENT OF BRITISH RULE IN INDIA:

'The Plassey Revolution'. Causes of British success in Bengal. 'The collaboration thesis' (The Cambridge School and Its Critics). British acquisition of Diwani rights in Bengal.

7. SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC CONSEQUENCES OF BRITISH COLONIALISM:

Revenue policies before Permanent Settlement; The Permanent Settlement; The Ryotwari Settlement; Drain of Wealth; 'The continuity thesis' and its criticism; The Orientalists and their perception of India; The 'Orientalism' debate.

Note: There will be three questions, one from each Unit.

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2. C.A. Bayly : *The New Cambridge History of India, II.1.*

Indian Society and the Making of the British Empire.

3. Muzaffar Alam : *Mughal Imperial Decline in North India.*
4. Z.U.Malik : *The Reign of Muhammad Shah, 1719-48 (Chap. 7).*
5. R.C.Dutt : *Economic History of India, 2 Vol.*
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7. M. Umar : *Islam in Northern India during the Eighteenth Century.*
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14. K.N. Chaudhuri : *The Trading World of Asia and The English East India Company, 1660-1760.*
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HSM-8018-RESISTANCE, MODERNIZATION AND EARLY EMERGENCE OF NATIONALISM IN INDIA, 1819-85

Teacher: Dr. Hassan Imam

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

14

I FORMS OF RESISTANCE TO COLONIAL RULE:

Colonial wars of pacification and their consequences; changes in the nature of kingship and sovereignty; settling, policing and taxing – impact on hunting, nomadic and pastoral communities. Terminologies of crime, disorder and banditry. The crowd in History.

II REVOLT OF 1857:

- (a) The zone of Military Mutiny: Warfare on the North Western Frontier and new tensions – threat of new recruiting grounds – changing standards of discipline – the mutinies on the frontier – the General Service Enlistment Act – the Enfield Rifle; the sipahi's fears and aspirations.
- (b) Civil insurgency: Causes and social participation. Agrarian rebellion – revenue demand and livelihood – revenue settlement and agrarian debt – Urban revolts. Forms of rebel communication. The struggle over information and communications.
- (c) The Leadership of the rebellion: Outlook, strategy and conflicts.

UNIT-II

13

I CREATING ALLEGIANCE AND LOYALTY:

- (a) Colonial Paternalism: 'Natural leaders' – the Indian princes and the taluqdars of Awadh; 'agriculturalist tribes', 'martial castes', tenancy legislation.
- (b) Representation: Provincial councils – co-opting the urban elite – municipal government – the terms of electoral representation - 'educating in self-government', the 'problem' of the educated classes.

II THE COLONIAL STATE AND THE RE-DEFINITION OF SOCIAL IDENTITIES:

Rule, knowledge, and contestation. Edward Said and his critics. The decennial census and ethnographic surveys. 'Martial castes', 'criminal tribes', The village community – agriculturalist and non-agriculturalist Castes. Language and identity. Special representation – religious community and the 'depressed classes' – Race, gender and Imperialism.

UNIT-III

13

I THE STATE, PUBLIC AND POLITICAL LIFE:

- (a) The educated classes, social base and ideology:
- (b) The political and economic critique of colonial rule; the women's question in national politics; 'history from below'.

2. EARLY NATIONALISM:

- (a) Factors behind the emergence of Indian Nationalism
- (b) Modern Political Association.

- (c) Formation of the Indian National Congress.
- (d) British Policies Towards Early Nationalism.

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HSM-8019: INDIAN NATIONAL MOVEMENT, 1919-47

Teacher: Dr. M. Sajjad

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

15

1. THE NON-COOPERATION MOVEMENT, 1920-22:

World after World War-I, Khilafat and Non-Cooperation Movement, 1919-22; Method of Resistance; Extent of Mass Support; Withdrawal and its consequences.

2. THE TWENTIES:

The political developments; Communist and Socialist Ideas; Depression of 1929-31 and its economic & political Consequences.

3. DEVELOPMENT OF COMMUNALISM:

Debates concerning the nature and meaning of modern communalism; factors behind the growth of communalism in the 1920's; the Nehru Report; the Hindu Mahasabha; The Role of Hindu and Muslim Communal Organisations.

UNIT-II

15

4. THE CIVIL DISOBEDIENCE MOVEMENT (1930-34):

Issues of Conflict; Phases of the Civil Disobedience Movement; Social Base of the Movement.

5. THE NEW CONSTITUTIONAL REGIME:

Karachi Resolution (1931); The Question of Depressed Castes; The Communal Award; The Act of 1935; Rise of the Left in the Congress.

6. THE CONGRESS MINISTRIES:

Elections of 1937; Formation and policies of Congress Ministries; Assessment of their Performance.

UNIT-III

10

7. INDIAN POLITICS DURING THE SECOND WORLD WAR:

Resignation of the Congress Ministries; The Muslim Mass Contact Campaign; The Ramgarh Congress Resolution; Cripps Mission; Quit India Movement (1942); Growth of the Muslim League.

8. TOWARDS INDEPENDENCE:

The post-war situation; The INA Trials; The RIN Mutiny; the Cabinet Mission; The 1946 Elections; The Mountbatten Plan; India Independence Act;

9. PARTITION:

Ideological origins, and factors for accentuating communal divisions. Historiography; narratives, Regional Variations,

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Bipan Chandra et al. :	<i>India's Struggle for Freedom.</i>
Sumit Sarkar, :	<i>Modern India</i>
A.R. Desai :	<i>Social Background of Indian Nationalism.</i>
Bipan Chandra :	<i>Communalism in Modern India.</i>
Gyan Pandey :	<i>Construction of Communalism in Colonial North India.</i>
Judith Brown :	<i>Gandhi and Civil Disobedience.</i>
Ayesha Jalal :	<i>Jinnah: The Sole Spokesman.</i>
D.A. Low (ed.) :	<i>Congress and the Raj.</i>
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Subaltern Studies :	Vol. 1-X (Selected Articles)
Judith Brawn :	<i>Nehru – A Political Life.</i>
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Visalakshi Menon, :	<i>From Movement to Government.</i>
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Gyan Pandey, :	<i>The Ascendancy of Congress in Uttar Pradesh.</i>
Aditya Mukherjee, :	<i>Growth of Indian Capitalism.</i>
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M.A. Third Semester

HS-9001: SOCIAL SYSTEMS OF ANTIQUITY

Teacher: Dr. Jaya Menon

Total No. of Lectures = 40

Unit I

13

Transition from the Bronze Age to the Iron Age

Structures of the Bronze Age

Iron Age - Introduction of a new metal

'Democratization' of agriculture

Impact on crafts

Classical Greece

Greek city-states, Sparta and the emergence of Athens

The *polis* and the countryside

Athenian democracy

Attic coinage and trade

Slavery in Greece

Unit II

14

The Roman Republic and Empire: Polity, Society, Economy

Political structure of the Roman Republic

Structure and development of Roman Society

Culmination of the use of slavery

Introduction of new tenancy systems

Agrarian structure and the appropriation of land

The introduction of *latifundia*

Food supply for the Romans

The shift to Empire and the institution of the Emperor.

Unit III

13

The Roman Empire: Imperialism and decline

Roman conquests in the Mediterranean

Expansionism towards the East

Development of Roman civil law

The beginnings of Christianity

Crisis of the Slave Mode of Production

Germanic invasions; the Huns

Disintegration of the Ro Empire

Note: There will be three questions, one from each Unit.

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HS-9002: CAPITAL AND CAPITALISM

Teacher: Prof. Shireen Moosvi

No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

CLASSICAL THEORIES OF CAPITAL

14

Capital and capitalism, how defined. Adam Smith and Ricardo on Economic organization, competition, and composition of capital: the Labour Theory of Value and the Falling Rate of Profit. Karl Marx's concept of capital and surplus value; Primary (Primitive) and normal accumulation of capital; and changes in composition of Capital.

Max Weber's concept of capitalism and rational calculation. Critiques of the labour theory of value: Marginal utility and equilibrium theories. Schumpeter's theory of entrepreneurship and capitalist development.

UNIT-II

CAPITALISM AND HISTORICAL SYSTEM

14

Feudal society and economy in Western Europe and its 'Breakdown'. Rise of World-wide colonial system; Mercantalism. Problems of interpreting the Transition period, 16th to 18th centuries. The nature of the "Feudal Reaction". The rise of new agricultural and craft technology. The emergence of 'bourgeois' political regimes (constitutional and democratic systems): Growth and Nature of Parliamentary Power in England; the French Revolution.

UNIT-III

THE INDUSTRIAL REVOLUTION AND INTERNAL DEVELOPMENTS OF CAPITALISM

15

The Industrial Revolution in England. Factors behind the Industrial Revolution. Divergent views on capital formation; internal social changes. "The Imperialism of Free Trade."

Spread of Industrial Revolution to Europe and United States. List's concept of 'National Political Economy' and critique of Free Trade. Export of capital. Growth of Banking, Finance Capital, Monopoly Capitalism. The Great Depression of 1873-94; Crisis of 1929-32. Keynesian theory of development with employment as the key factor.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

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| Erick Rolls | : | <i>History of Economic Thought</i> |
| C. Gide and C. Rist | : | <i>A History of Economic Doctrine</i> |
| P. Sweezy, M. Dobb, Takashashi, et. al. | : | <i>The Transition from Feudalism to Capitalism</i> |
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| Maurice Dobb | : | <i>Studies in the Development of Capitalism</i> |

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Leo Huberman	: <i>Man's Worldly Goods.</i>
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Joseph A. Schumpeter	: <i>The Theory of Economic Development</i>

HSM-9003: CONTEMPORARY EUROPE (1919-1991)

Teacher: Mr. M. K. Zaman

No. of Lectures: 40

UNIT – I

14

Europe Between the World Wars:

The Paris Peace Conference, 1919: Treaty of Versailles and other treaties. The National question and Reparations. Disruption of German economy: Young and Dawes plans.

New International Machinery: Establishment of the League of Nations. Aims and Covenant of the League. Assembly. Council. Success and Failures of the League of Nations.

Communist Regime in the USSR: Lenin – Revolution and Civil War. New Economic Policy. Attempts at isolation of Russia in Europe. Stalin – Russia's Economic problems: Collectivization and five-year plans. The Problem of Nationalities.

The quest for international security: Locarno Agreements, 1925. Kellogg – Briand pact, 1928. Problem of Disarmament. Washington Naval Agreement. The Geneva disarmament Conference and its failure.

The Great Depression of 1929: Causes. Effects of the depression on Europe. World Monetary and Economic Conference, 1933; and its failure.

UNIT – II

14

WORLD WAR II

The Origins of the World War-II

Rise of Fascism in Italy:- Conditions of Italy in 1919; First appearance of Fascism, Mussolini; Fascist doctrine; Fascist Economy; Italy's Foreign relations.

Rise of Nazism in Germany: Weimar Republic and its collapse. National Socialism – its doctrine. Nazification of Germany by Hitler- 1933-34. Hitler's Foreign Policy.

Anglo-French attitude towards Fascist powers: Appeasement. Munich agreement. Drift towards war.

Opening Moves: Sept. 1939 to Dec. 1940: Poland defeated. Denmark and Norway invaded. Hitler attacks Holland, Belgium and France. Battle of Britain. War in North Africa.

The Attack on Soviet Union : The strength of Soviet Defence effort. Battles of Moscow (1941) and Stalingrad (1942-3).

USA's entry into the War: Air Offensive against Germany and the opening of Second Front.

Fall of Germany: The Road to Surrender, May 1945, Redrawing of Europe's boundaries.

The Cost of War: The suffering of victims of Axis aggression. The Holocaust.

UNIT-III

12

CREATION OF CONTEMPORARY EUROPE:

The Immediate Aftermath of World War-III : Reconstruction : ‘Welfare’ and Socialist economics. The Marshal Plan. Beginnings of Cold War.

Post-War Arrangements: United Nations. Issues of Regional Cooperation. Atlantic and Warsaw Pacts. Extension and Impact of Cold War on Europe.

Internal Economic and Political Developments in Soviet Union and Easter Europe, 1953-1991: End of the Stalin Era. The succession. Khrushchev; De-Stalinization.

East-Germany. Czechoslovakia. Poland and Solidarity.

Detente: 1970s to 1990s:

The rise of European Community and Common Market.

Unity of Germany

Gorbachev: Perestroika and Glasnost Policies. The fall of the Soviet Union

Collapse of communism in Eastern Europe.

Note: There will be Three questions, one from each Unit.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

1. Ivan T. Berend: *Central and Eastern Europe, 1944-1993*.
2. George Lichtheim: *Europe in the 20th Century*.
3. Benns, F. Lee: *Europe Since 1914; in its world setting*.
4. Hobsbawn, Eric: *Age of Extremes: The Short 20th Century, 1914-1991*.
5. Thomson, David: *Europe Since Napoleon*.
6. Edited by John Allen; Peter Braham & Paul Lewis: *Political & Economic Forms of Modernity*.
7. Wiskemann, E. : *Europe of the Dictators, 1919-45*.
8. Taylor, A.J.P. : *Origins of the Second World War*.
9. Taylor, A.J.P., Martel, Gordon (ed.) : *Origins of the Second World War – Reconsidered, the A.J.P. Taylor Debate after 25 years*.
10. Allan Bullock: *Hitler – A Study of Tyranny*.
11. Albjerg, Victor L: *Europe from 1914 to the Present*.
12. Dobb, Maurice: *Soviet Economic Development Since 1917*.
13. S.J. Woolf (ed.): *Nature of Fascism*.
14. D.W. Urwin: *Western Europe Since 1945*.
15. Baylis, John & Smith, Steve: *The Globalization of World Politics*.
16. William R. Keylor: *The Twentieth Century World: An International History*.
17. J.M. Roberts: *Twentieth Century: The History of the World 1901 to 2000*.
18. William L. Shirer: *Rise and Fall of the Third Reich*.
19. John Hammerton (ed.) : *The Second Great War (Relevant Volumes)*.
20. The Historical Encyclopedia of World War-II.

**HS-9026: MUSLIM RELIGIOUS THOUGHT AND MOVEMENTS IN INDIA
(1200-1707)**

Teacher: Dr. Syed Liyaqat Husain Moini

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

14

1. STATE OF ISLAMIC RELIGIOUS THOUGHT C. 1200:
 - a. The Juridical Systems.
 - b. Theological Structure: Al-Ghazali
 - c. Tasawwuf (Sufism)
2. EARLY SUFI MOVEMENTS: THE *CHISHTI* AND *SUHARWARDI SILSILAHs*:
 - a. Basic elements of their thought and philosophy. Shaikh Shaikh Nizamuddin Auliya's views on theology and ethics (*Fawaidul' Fu'ad*) Firdausi *Silsilah*.
 - b. Attitude of saints towards state, social classes & Non-Muslims.
 - c. The orthodox theological traditions, and contributions to *fiqh* literature.

UNIT-II

13

3. MILLENARY AND OTHER MOVEMENTS:
 - a. The Mahdawi Movement: Shaikh Muhammad Jaunpuri and his basic teachings.
 - b. The Shattari *silsilah* in India. Saiyid Muhammad Ghaus and his teachings.
 - c. The influence of Iran and the '*Isna ashari*' sect, Nurullah Shustari.
 - d. Ibn-ul-Arabi's thought on Indian Sufism.
 - e. The Religious Environment of Akbar's Court. The Thought of Abul Fazl.

UNIT-III

13

4.
 - a. Badauni's religious and ethical thought, esp. in the *Nijatu'r Rashid*.
 - b. Abdul Haq Muhaddis and his contribution to theological thought.
 - c. The Naqshbandi *Silsilah*: Shaikh Ahmad Sirhindi and principal elements of his mystic thought.
 - d. The Qadiris: Miyan Mir. Dara Shukoh and his interpretation of mysticism.

Note: There will be three questions one from each Unit.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

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|---------------------|--|
| Martin Lings | - What is Sufism? |
| Amir Hassan Dehalvi | - Fawaidul' Fuad (tr. Bruce B. Lawrence), |
| K.A.Nizami | - Some Aspects of Religion and Politics in India during the Thirteenth Century |
| -do- | - The Life and Times of Shaikh Fariduddin Ganj-i Shakar. |

- do- - Life and Times of Shaikh Nizamuddin Auliya.
- do- - Life and Times of Shaikh Nasiruddin, chiragh-i Delhi.
- do- - Akbar and Religion.
- Aziz Ahmad - Studies in Islamic Culture in the Indian Environment.
- Aziz Ahmad - Intellectual History of Islam in India (Islamic Surveys Series).
- Annemarie Schimmel - Islam in the Indian Sub-continent.
- do- - Mysitical Dimensions of Islam
- Mohammad Habib - Politics and Society during the Early Medieval period (Collected works) ed. K.A.Nizami.
- S.A.A.Rizvi - History of Sufism in India; 2 Vols.
- do- - Muslim Revivalist Movements in Northern India in the sixteenth and Seventeenth centuries.
- do- - Religious and Intellectual History of Muslims in Akbar's Reign with Special reference to Abul Fazl (1556-1605).
- do- - A socio-Intellectual History of Isna-Asharis
- do- - Shias in India Vols. I & II.
- Muhammad Mujeeb - The Indian Muslims.
- Y. Friedmann - Shaikh Ahmad Sirhindi, An outline of his thought and a study of his image in the eyes of Posterity.
- Bikramajit Hasrat - Dara Shukoh, Life and Works.
- Zafarul Islam - Socio-Economic Dimensions of fiqh literatue in Medieval India.
- W. Montgomery Watt - Islamic Philosophy and Theology.
- Hameed Qalandar - Khairul Majalis (ed.)K.A.Nizami.
- Qamruddin - The Mahdavi Movement in India.
- Troll, C.W., (ed.) - Muslim Shrines in India.
- Carl Earnst - The Eternal Garden: Khuldabad
- B. Lawrence & - Sufi Martyrs of Love -The Chishti order in South Asia and beyond
- C.W. Earnst - Sufism
- S. Liyaqat H. Moini - The Chishti Shrine of Ajmer Pirs, Pilgrims, Practices
- Paul Jackson - Way of a Sufi , Sharfuddin Maneri
- Fatima Bilgrami - History of the Qadir order in India 16-18th Century
- Asghar Ali Engineer (ed.) - Sufism-Inter religions under standing
- William C. Chittick - Sufism- A short introduction

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- K.A.Nizami - *Early Indo-Muslim Mystics and their attitude towards the state,*
Islamic Culture, Oct. 1949, pp.387-98; Jan. 1950, pp.60-71.
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- Bruce B. Lawrence
 - *Precept and paradox – Chishti attitude towards Social labour, Proceedings of IHC, 1986.*
 - *Production of Early malfuzat; Fact or Fiction.*
 - *The earliest Chishtiya and Shaikh Nizamuddin Aulia (d.1325); Delhi through the Ages, ed. R.E., Frykenberg. The Chishti Shrine of Ajmer: Pirs Practices and Pilgrims*
- S. Liyaqat H. Moini
 - *Akbar and Ajmer Shrine.*
- do-
 - *Position and Role of Khadim-i-khas in Pir Murid Relations. Sufis and Sufism (ed.) Neeru Mishra.*

HS-9011: ARCHAEOLOGICAL THEORY

Teacher: Dr. Jaya Menon

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT -I

10

INTRODUCTORY

Archaeology, its Scope and Limitations

Archaeology and other disciplines

Early archaeological endeavours:

Treasure hunting

Thomsen's Three-Age System

Culture historical approach and V. Gordon Childe

Functionalism

Unit -II

15

Paradigms in archaeology (1960s to the present)

New archaeology/Processual Archaeology

Importance of explanation

Systems Theory

Role of laws in archaeology

Scientific Method

General theories and Middle-Range Theory

'Culture' in archaeology

Structuralist, Marxist perspectives

Post-Processual Archaeology

Importance of the individual

Ownership of the past

Significance of context and process

UNIT -III

15

INTERPRETATION IN ARCHAEOLOGY

Role of analogy

Context in archaeology

Schiffer's Systemic and Archaeological Contexts

Function in archaeology

Site formation processes

Behavioural archaeology- experimental archaeology, ethnoarchaeology

Spatial analysis

Settlement pattern studies

Landscape archaeology

Site Catchment analyses

Note: There will be three questions, one from each unit.

READING LIST:

Bahn, P. and C. Renfrew (eds.) *Archaeology, Theories, Methods and Practice*, London. 2004.

Binford, L.R. Archaeology as anthropology. In L.R. Binford, *An Archaeological Perspective*, pp.20-32. New York, 1972.

Bintliff, J.(ed), *A Companion to Archaeology*, Oxford 2004.

Clarke, D.L. *Analytical Archaeology*, New York, 1978.

David, N. & C. Kramer (eds.), *Ethnoarchaeology in Action*, Cambridge, 2001.

Deetz., J. *Invitation to Archaeology*, New York, 1967.

Ellis, L. (ed.), *Archaeological Method and Theory. An Encyclopaedia*, New York and London, 2000.

Gamble, C. *Archaeology, The Basics*, London, 2001.

Greene, Kevin, *Archaeology. An Introduction*, New Jersey, 1983.

Hays-Gilpin, K. and D.S. Whitley (eds.) *Reader in Gender Archaeology*, London and New York, 1998.

Hodder, I, *Reading the Past, Current Approaches to Interpretation in Archaeology*, Cambridge, 1991.

Hodder, I. *Archaeology Beyond Dialogue*, Salt Lake City, 2003.

Johnson, M., *Archaeological Theory*, London 1999.

Preucel, R.W. and I Hodder, (eds.) *Contemporary Archaeology in Theory*. Oxford 1996.

Schiffer, M.B. 1972, Archaeological Context and Systemic Context. *American Antiquity*, 37.2: 156-65.

Shanks, M. and C. Tilley. *Reconstructing Archaeology*, Cambridge, 1987.

**HS-9012: SOCIETY AND CULTURE IN INDIA FROM THE 1st. CENTURY
TO 7th CENTURY A.D.**

Teacher: Dr. (Mrs.) Rashmi Upadhyaya

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

1. **GROWTH OF SOCIAL LAWS AND RELIGIOUS CODES:** 06
 - a. The development of Dharmashastra. Manusmriti: contents & date. *Ashramas & Samskaras*.
 - b. Laws of marriage and inheritance.
2. **SOCIAL STRUCTURE AND CASTE SYSTEM:** 08
 - a. The *Varnas* and growth of caste system, the *Jatis*; lower castes and aboriginal tribes.
 - b. Position of women; legal and other disabilities.

UNIT-II

3. **TRADE AND COMMERCE:** 06

Inland trade.
Trade with the Roman Empire.
Urban climax, 'deurbanization' debate
4. **STRUCTURE OF RURAL SOCIETY:** 06
 - a. Village Community.
 - b. Origin of 'Feudalism'.
 - c. 'Peasant Society' in South India.

UNIT-III

5. **DEVELOPMENT OF SCIENCE AND LITERATURE** 07
 - a. Mathematics, Astronomy, and Medicine.
 - b. Development of Literature.
 - c. Higher Learning: Nalanda.
6. **RELIGION:** 07
 - a. Buddhism (Development of Theravada and Mahayanism).
 - b. Jainism: Later Developments.
 - c. Brahmanism (esp. Saivite & Vaisnavite cults).

DOCUMENTS

1. Manu Smriti : (English Translation in Sacred Books of the East vol. XXV). Chapter-VII, pp.216-253, VIII, pp.253-321, Chapter IX, pp.347-380; X p.410-430. Unit-I

2. Vashistha Dharmashastra : (English translation by George Buhler The Sacred Books of the East (ed. Max Muller, Vol. XIV, pt. 2). Chapter II, pp.9-12; chapter V, pp.31-33; Chapter XVIII, pp.94-96. Unit-I
3. Periplus of Erythraean Sea : Eng. Trans. Wilfred H. Schoff (tr. ed.) Unit-I
4. Milinda Panho : (The Questions of king Milinda), Eng. translation by T.W. Rhys Davids in the *Sacred Books of the East*, Vol. XXXV, Part I, Sect. 2 pp.2-3; book I, Sect., 22, p.16-17 Book IV, chap. 2, Sec.9, pp.208-209, vol. XXXVI: Book V. Sec. 4, pp.208-211. Unit-I & II
5. Fahien and Yuan Chwang (Huiyen Tsiang) in S. beal, *Buddhist Records of the Western World*, vol.I, pp.XXXVII-XXXVIII, pp.69-90. Unit-I & II

Note: *There will be three questions, one from each Unit, and one out of thee requiring comments on passages from the Documents.*

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

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|-------------------------|---|
| D.D. Kosambi | : <i>Introduction to the Study of Indian History</i> |
| R.C. Majumdar (ed.) | : <i>The Age of Imperial Unity.</i> |
| -do- | : <i>The Classical Age</i> |
| R.S. Sharma | : <i>Sudras in Ancient India.</i> |
| A.L. Basham | : <i>The Wonder that was India.</i> |
| A.S. Altekar | : <i>Position of Women in Hindu Civilization.</i> |
| R.K. Mookhrjee | : <i>Ancient Indian Education.</i> |
| R.B. Pandey | : <i>Hindu Samaskaras.</i> |
| Sandhya Mookerjee | : <i>Some Aspects of Social life in Ancient India.</i> |
| S.K. Chatterjee & | : <i>Cultural Heritage of India: vol. II</i> |
| Haridas Bhattacharya | III, IV and V (ed.) (relevant Chapters) |
| Sudhakar Chattopadhyaya | : <i>Evolution of Hindu Sects.</i> |
| N.K. Dutta | : <i>Origin and Growth of Caste System in India.</i> |
| V. Jha | : <i>Stages in the History of Untouchables, Indian Historical Review, Vol. II, No.1.</i> |
| V. Jha | : <i>Chandalas and the Origin of Untouchability, Indian Historical Review, Vol. XIII.</i> |
| H.D. Sankalia | : <i>The University of Nalanda</i> |
| N.N. Bhattacharya | : <i>Ancient Indian Rituals and their Social Content.</i> |
| R.G. Bhandarkar | : <i>Vaishnavism, Saivism and Minor Religious Systems.</i> |
| S.C. Sarkar | : <i>Educational Ideas and Institutions in Ancient India.</i> |
| Romila Thapar | : <i>Ancient Indian Social History</i> |
| S.K. Das | : <i>The Economic History of Ancient India.</i> |
| Burton Stein | : <i>Peasant State and Society in Medieval South India (Relevant portions).</i> |

R.S. Pandey	: <i>Educators of Ancient India.</i>
V.K. Thakur	: Historiography of Indian Feudalism
R.S. Sharma	: <i>Indian Feudalism</i>
B.D. Chattopadhyaya	: The Making of Early Medieval India.
R. Champaklakshmi	: Trade, Ideology & Urbanisation.
T.V. Mahalingam	: Readings in South Indian History.
P.V. Kane	: <i>The History of the Dharmasastra.</i>
R.S. Sharma	: <i>Urban Decay (1-1000)</i>
D.M. Bose, S.N. Sen,	: <i>A concise History of Science in India</i>
B.V. Subbarayappa (eds.)	
Irfan Habib	: Relevant articles in Essays in <i>Indian History- towards a Marxist Perception.</i>
Suvira Jayaswal	: Caste: Origin Function and Dimensions of Change.
D.N. Jha (edited)	: The Feudal Order
Ajay Mitra Sasatry	: Varahamihira's India, I, II.
D.N. Jha	: Society and Economy in Early India.
R.S. Sharma	: Early Medieval Indian Society.
R.S. Agarwal	: Trade Centres and Routes in Northern India (322 BC-AD 500)
Romila Thapar (ed.)	: Recent Perspectives of Early Indian History.
K.S. Srivastava	: Economic and Social Life in Ancient India.
Rena Srivastava	: Mining and Metallurgy in Ancient India.
G.P. Singh	: Republics, Kingdoms, Towns and Cities in Ancient India.

HSM-9021: ANCIENT INDIAN PALAEOGRAPHY AND NUMISMATICS

Teacher: Dr. Rashmi Upadhyaya

Total No. of Lectures = 40

Unit-I

PALAEOGRAPHY :

1. Introduction of Writing and Its Significance:
Archaeological evidence, Indus writing, characters and attempts at their decipherment: Special attention to efforts of Asko Parpola and Iravatham Mahadevan. New research of Michael Witzel.
2. Brahmi Script: Process of Decipherment. Earliest examples, Nature of script.
3. Theories of origins of the Script.

Unit-II

4. Development of Brahmi Characters and Forms of Letters during the following Phases:
 - a) Mauryan
 - b) Post-Mauryan
 - c) Tamil Brahmi
 - d) Kushana and Gupta
5. Kharoshthi Script: Association with Aramaic, Area of use, Asokan and later Kharoshthi.

Unit-III

NUMISMATICS:

6. Early literary reference to coins and metrology.
7. Punch-Marked Coins:
 - a) General Characteristics
 - b) Origin, Chronology and Classification
8. General Characteristics of the following types of coinage and their value as source of History.
 - a) Cast Coins
 - b) Local & Tribal Coins with Special reference to Mathura and Panchala; Audumbara
 - c) Indo-Greek Coins
 - d) Satavahana Coinage
 - e) Kushana and Kshatrapa Coins
 - f) Imperial Guptas: Gold Coins

- g) A Brief Survey of Metallurgy and mining processes

DOCUMENTS

Hultsch (ed.)	-	<i>Corpus Inscriptionum Indicarum, vol. I</i>
Sten Konow (ed.)	-	<i>Corpus Inscriptionum Indicarum, vol. II</i>
JF Fleet (rev. by)		
Dr. Bhandarkar	-	<i>Corpus Inscriptionum Indicarum, vol. III</i>
AS Altekar	-	<i>The Gupta Gold Coins in the Bayana Hoard.</i>
- do -	-	<i>Corpus of Indian Coins – the coinage of the Gupta Empire, Vol. IV</i>
RB Whitehead	-	<i>Catalogue of Coins in the Punjab. Unit-II</i>

Note: There will be three questions, one from each Unit, one out of these requiring decipherment and comments on passages from the Documents.

- (a) Decipherment, transliteration, translation and explanation of passages from the texts of the Asokan Pillar edicts I to VII (Delhi-Siwalik Pillar; A. Cunningham, *Corpus Inscriptionum*, I, Plates XVIII & XIX), and Rummindei Pillar (Plate in V.A. Smith, *Asoka, Pl. II, p.198*). Unit. I
- (b) Identification of and comment on Gold Coins of Demetrius, Kanishka, Samudagupta and Chandragupta II. Unit-II.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED :

A Cunningham	-	<i>Introduction to Archaeological Survey of India Reports</i>
A Cunningham	-	<i>Coins of Ancient India</i>
A.H. Dani	-	<i>Indian Palaeography</i>
Aska Parpola	-	<i>Deciphering the Indus Script</i>
B. Chatopadhyaya	-	<i>The Age of the Kushanas – A Numismatic Study. Century A.D.</i>
C.S. Upasak	-	<i>History and Palaeography of Mauryan Brahmi Script</i>
D.D. Kosambi	-	<i>Introduction to the Study of Indian History</i>
- do -	-	<i>On the origin of Indian Brahma Alphabet</i>
E.J. Rapson	-	<i>Coins of India</i>
G. Buhler	-	<i>Indian Paleography</i>
G.R. Hunter	-	<i>The Script of Harappa and Mohenjodaro and its</i>
Iravatham Mahadevan	-	<i>Early Tamil Epigraphy. From the Earliest Times to the 6th</i>
Iravatham Mahadevan	-	<i>Tamil Brahmi Inscriptions.</i>
Mahadevan	-	<i>Indus Concordance (introduction only)</i>
Mahalingam	-	<i>Tamil Brahmi Inscriptions</i>
P.L. Gupta	-	<i>Ancient Indian Silver Punch Marked Coins</i>
P.L. Gupta	-	<i>Coins of India</i>
R.B. Pandey	-	<i>Indian Palaeography</i>
T.R. Hardaker & Gupta	-	<i>Punch Marked Coins</i>

T.V. Mahalingam

T.P. Verma

- *Early South Indian Palaeography*
- *The Palaeography. Of the Brahmi Script in Northern India. Vol. (On Prinsep's Discovery of the Brahmi Script).*

HS-9023: ANCIENT SOCIETY

Teacher: Dr. Jaya Menon

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT I

12

HUNTER-GATHERER AND TRIBAL SOCIETIES

Hunting – gathering as a strategy
Hunter-gatherer societies
Beginnings of food production
Neolithic societies in West Asia
 Beginnings of villages
 Importance of storage
 Development of crafts
Tribal and chiefship societies
 Importance of kinship, sharing and egalitarianism
 Polity – structure of leadership
 Shamanism and other religious practices

Unit II

12

Pre-capitalist Economies

Communal management of resources
Exchange
 Gift-giving and reciprocity
 Redistribution
 Trade and market exchange
Primitive valuables and the domestic mode of production

Unit III

16

Urbanization and Early State Societies

Character of urban societies
Process of urbanization with special reference to Mesopotamia
Development of early states in Mesopotamia, Egypt and China
Structuring of the economy, division of labour
Social stratification and the beginning of class relations
Tribal elements in economy, society and religion

Note: There will be three questions, One from each Unit.

READING LIST:

R.M. Adams – *The Evolution of Urban Society*. 1966.
R.M. Adams – Patterns of urbanization in early southern Mesopotamia. In P.J. Ucko, et al, eds., *Man, Settlement and Urbanism*. 1972.
L.R. Binford – Post-Pleistocene adaptations. In S. & L. Binford, eds., *New Perspectives in Archaeology*. 1968.

V.G. Childe – The neolithic revolution. In V.G. Childe, *Man Makes Himself*. 1956.
V.G. Childe – The Urban Revolution. In G.L. Possehl, ed., *Ancient Cities of the Indus*, 1979
I.M. Diakonoff – Structure of State and Society in Early Dynastic Summer. 1974.
K. Polanyi, C.M. Arensberg and H. Pearson, eds., *Trade and Market in the Early Empires*. 1957.
M. Sahlins – *Tribesmen*. 1969.
M. Sahlins – *Stone Age Economics*. 1972.
E.R. Service- *Primitive Social Organization*. 1962.

**HS-9013: LATER MUGHALS (1707-1761):
POLITICAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE HISTORY**

Teacher: Dr. Syed Liyaqat Husain Moini

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

14

DISINTEGRATION OF THE MUGHAL EMPIRE:

1. The Mughal Empire at the death of Aurangzeb; War of Succession: Bahadur Shah (1707-12); Relations with Nobility; Rajputana Campaigns.
2. Jahandar Shah and Farrukhsiyar (1712-19); Conflict with nobility. Court politics. Problem of *Wizarat*; Relations with Rajputs.
3. Muhammad Shah (1719-39): Nobility; Breakdown of *Mansabdari* and *Jagirdari* system; Administrative and Financial Crises; Military Weaknesses:
4. Nadir Shah's invasion; causes and consequences. Post Nadir Shah scenario.

UNIT-II

13

RISE OF SUCCESSOR STATES LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL ELITES: FOREIGN INVASIONS

1. Ahmad Shah (1748-54). Alamgir II (1754-58): *Wizarat*: Struggle for the office of *Mir Bakhshi*; Safdar Jang's revolt; Role of Imadul Mulk;
2. Mughal-Afghan relations; Ahmad Shah Abdali's invasions and consequences (1760).
3. Hyderabad, Bengal, Awadh. Sikhs. Jat, Bundelas and Rohillas
4. Theories of the decline of the Mughal Empire.

UNIT-III

13

THE MARATHA EXPANSION:

1. Internal conflicts.
2. Policies and Expansion: Northern India.
3. Political and Administrative structure under the first three Peshwas.
4. Conflict with Afghans. Battle of Panipat, 1761, consequences, weaknesses of Maratha System.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

- | | | |
|-------------------------|---|--|
| 1. J. Sarkar | - | <i>Fall of the Mughal Empire</i> , Vol. I & II. |
| 2. A.C. Bannerjee (ed.) | - | <i>A comprehensive History of India</i> , Vol. IX. |
| 3. W. Irvine | - | <i>Later Mughals</i> , Vol. I & II. |
| 4. -do- | - | <i>The Army of Indian Mughals</i> . |
| 5. Satish Chandra | - | <i>Parties and Politics at the Mughal Court 1707-1740</i> . |
| 6. Satish Chandra | - | <i>18th Century in India; Its Economy and the Role of the Marathas, the Jats, the Sikhs and the Afghans</i> . |
| 7. Z.U.Malik | - | <i>The Reign of Muhammad Shah; 1719-1748</i> .(Re-print) |
| 8. Muzaffar Alam | - | <i>Crisis of Empire in Mughal North India. Awadh and the Punjab 1707-1748</i> . |
| 9. G.S. Sardesai | - | <i>New History of the Marathas</i> , Vol. II. |

10. G.S. Sardesai - *The Main Currents of Maratha History.*
11. R.C. Majumdar (ed.) - *The Maratha Supremacy, Vol. VIII.*
12. S.N. Sen - *Administrative System of the Marathas.*
13. Noman A. Siddiqui - *Land Revenue Administration under the Mughals.*
14. H.R. Gupta - *Marathas and Panipat.*
15. T.S. Shejwalker - *Panipat, 1761.*
16. Tara Chanda - *History of Freedom Movement in India, vol. I.*
17. Iqbal Hussain - *The Rise and Decline of the Ruhila Chieftains.*
18. V.s. Bhatnagar - *Life and Times of Sawai Jai Singh.*
19. A Kareem - *Murshid Quli Khan and His Times.*
20. K.K. Dutta - *Alivardi and His Times.*
21. A.L. Srivastava - *First two Nawabs of Oudh.*
22. Yusuf Husain Khan - *Nizamul Mulk Asif Jah I.*
23. Ganda Singh - *Ahmad Shah Durrani.*

HS-9014: ECONOMIC HISTORY OF INDIA, 1200-1550

Teacher: Dr. Jawaid Akhtar

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT – I

14

1. Indian Economy and Society on the Eve of the Ghorian Conquest:
Nature of Indian *Feudalism*; Superior rural classes; Thakkuras, Ranakas, etc.; Subinfeudation; Serfdom, extraction of surplus in kind, forced labour. Decline of trade, paucity of coins, urban decay.
2. Nature and Outlook of the Ghoria-Turkish Ruling Class:
The Sultan and the Turkish-slave officers. Immigration of artisans, merchants and scholars. The conquerors, patronage of local artisans and Multani merchants.
3. Agrarian Structure, c. 1300:
Rural stratification; *Balahars*, peasants and *Khuts*. Role of intermediaries; *Muqaddam* and *Chaudhari*. Position of local chiefs; *rais*, *ranas* and *rawats*. Agrarian relations.

UNIT – II

13

4. Economy under the Sultanate:
Land revenue system under the Sultans. Means and methods of cultivation and irrigation; Agricultural production. Alauddin Khalji's economic measures; Merchants. *Sahs*, *Multanis*.
5. Revenue Assignments during the Sultanate period:
Evolution of *Iqta* system under the Sultans. *Wajh* assignments, *Khalisa*. *Iqta* holders and revenue grants. Local chiefs.
6. Distribution of Resources among the Sultanate Ruling Class:
Changing composition of the nobility under the Khaljis, Tughlaqs and Lodis. Concession and special privilege to the nobility under Firoz Tughlaq; hereditary claims, non-transfer of *iqtas* etc. Its results.

UNIT – III

13

7. Growth of Commerce and Crafts:
Growth of Long distance trade and trade between town and country. Numismatic evidence for expansion of commerce. Currency system. Growth of towns. Merchants and manufacturing classes. Role of brokers. *Karkhanas*. Technological changes; textile, crafts, sericulture, geared water-lift.
8. Slave and Peasants:
Slavery; Condition of the peasants. Society and economic changes during 1200-1500.
9. Economy in the Vijaynagara Empire.
Survey of Agrarian and social structure. Commerce and urban life.

DOCUMENTS

1. Barani, : *Tarikh-i Firoz Shahi*:
 - a. Rise of slave nobility and Balban's Attitude towards the 'Low-born'. (Elliot & Dowson, vol. III, pp. 198-101). Unit-I

- b. Alauddin Khalji's Measures, Reforms, Price and Market Control Regulations. (Elliot & Dowson, vol. III, pp. 179-183, 191-197). Unit-II
 - c. Muhammad Tughlaq's Currency Reforms. (Elliot & Dowson, vol. III, pp. 239-41). Unit-III
- 2. Afif : *Tarikh-i Firoz Shahi* (bib. Indica):
 - a. Slaves (Elliot & Dowson, vol. III, pp. 340-42). Unit-III
 - b. *Karkhanas* (Elliot & Dowson, vol. III, pp. 356-57). Unit-III
 - c. Firoz Shah's new rules for revenue grants (Elliot & Dowson, vol. III, pp. 288-89). Unit-II
- 3. Shihabuddin Al-Umari : *Masalik-ul Absar*, tr., available in Perso-Arabic sources on the life and conditions in the Sultanate of Delhi, I.H. Siddiqui, New Delhi.
- 4. Ibn Batuta : *Rehla*, (tr. Mehdi Hussain), pp. 5, 12, 13, 123, 146. Unit-III
- 5. Babur : *Baburnama*, vol. 2, tr. Beveridge, pp. 486-7 (g); 487-88 (n); 518-19 (t); 519-20 (u); 531-32 (i); Unit-II 536-37 (b). Unit-III.

Note: There will be three questions, one from each unit. At least one of these questions may be set on quotations from the above texts under the relevant unit.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

- DD Kosambi : *Introduction to the Study of Indian History*, (Chapters IX & X).
- RS Sharma : *Indian Feudalism* (Chapters I, V & VI).
- „ : *Urban Decay in India*, New Delhi, 1987.
- B.N.S. Yadav : *Society and Culture in North India in the Twelfth Century*.
- DN Jha (ed.) : *Feudal Social Formation in Early India*, Delhi, 1987.
- M. Habib : *Introduction to Elliot and Dowson*, II (Aligarh reprint).
- KM Ashraf : *Life and Conditions of the People of Hindustan*.
- WH Moreland : *Agrarian System of Moslem India* (Chapters I, II & II; also Appendix-B).
- Mahalingam : *Social and Economic Life of the Vijaynagar Empire*.
- Tapan Ray Chaudhuri & Irfan Habib, : *Cambridge Economic History of India*, vol. I, (relevant chapters).
- PM Major (ed.) : *India in the Fifteenth Century*.
- HN Wright : *Coinage and Metrology of the Sultans of Delhi*.
- JS Deyall : *Living without Silver: The Monetary History of Early Medieval North-India*, Delhi, 1990.
- Irfan Habib, et. al. : *Economic History of Medieval India (1200-1500)* Pearson/Education.
- B.D. Chattopadhyaya : *Making of Early Medieval India* (Chapter 1 & 8).

ARTICLES:

- Irfan Habib : 'Technological Changes and Society (13th & 14th Centuries)', (Presidential Address, Medieval India Section, *Proceeding of Indian History Congress*, December, 1969).
- do---- : 'Economic History of the Delhi Sultanate – An Essay in Interpretation', (*The Indian Historical Review*, Jan. 1978, vol. IV, No.2, pp. 287-303).
- do---- : 'Price Regulations of Alauddin Khalji', *I.E.S.H.R.*, vol. 24 (4), 1984.
- do---- : 'Social Distribution of Landed Property in Pre-British India', *Enquiry*, New Series, vol. II, No.3, 1965.
- do---- : 'Society and Economical Changes, 1200-1500', Seminar, *Social and Economic Changes in Northern India*, University of Kurukshetra, 1981.
- BNS Ypadav : 'Immobility and Subjection of Indian Peasantry in Early Medieval Complex', *The Indian Historical Review*, vol.I, No.1, pp.16-22, March, 1974.
- AJ Qaiser : 'The Role of Brokers in Medieval India', *Indian History Congress*, Chandigarh, 1973.
- IH Siddiqui : 'Money and Social Change', *Indian History Congress*, Symposium paper, Delhi, 1995.
- do---- : 'Social Mobility in the Delhi Sultanate', *Medieval India*, I.
- Shireen Moosvi : 'Numismatic Evidence and the Economic History of the Delhi Sultanate', *Proceedings IHC*, *Golden Jubilee Session*, Gorakhpur, 1989.
- Shaikh A. Latif : 'The *Iqta* System under the Early Sultans of Delhi', (cyclostyled), *Indian History Congress*, 1975.

HS-9024: HISTORICAL ARCHAEOLOGY

Teacher: Dr. Syed Ali Nadeem Rezavi

Total Number of Lectures = 40

UNIT – I

14

1. **Defining ‘Pre-History’, ‘History’ and ‘Historical Archaeology’:** Difference between Historical Archaeology and Archaeology of Pre-Historical Phase. Assistance from literary records, inscriptions and coins.
2. **Development of Historical Archaeology in India.** Pre-modern antiquarian interests. Asiatic Society of Bengal.
3. **Archaeological Survey of India:** its formation and structure; Cunningham and his surveys. Ancient Monuments Acts of 1904 & 1958.

UNIT – II

13

4. **Field-work:** Survey and Exploration. Methods of Survey; Tools of field exploration: Importance of use of measurement and triangulation; surveying buildings: lay-out, elevation.
5. **Excavations:** lay-out of trenches and principles of stratigraphy.
6. **Post Excavation work:** Classifications of styles of architecture. Preservation and Conservation of buildings and other remains.

UNIT – III

13

7. **Late 4th century B.C. to 2nd century B.C.:** Perspectives from texts. NBP and other contemporary wares, use of scripts and other salient elements:
8. **The Mauryan Period:** Settlement Pattern and Mauryan Town Planning: Pataliputra and Bhita. Special Study of Taxila: Structural Remains and Planning.
9. **The Post Mauryan Period:** Archaeology of (a) post-Mauryan period (2nd century B.C. to end of 3rd century A.D.) and (b) the period of the Guptas and other contemporary dynasties (4th century A.D. to 6th century A.D.).

Note: The candidate will be required to attempt three questions, one from each unit.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

- Peter L. Drewett, *Field Archaeology : An Introduction*
K.V. Raman *Principles and Methods of Archaeology*
Amita Ray &
Sameer Mukherji (ed) *Historical Archaeology of India*
M.K. Dhavalikar, *Historical Archaeology of India*
D.K. Chakraborti, *A History of Indian Archaeology*
D.K. Chakraborti, *India: An Archaeological History – Paleolithic Beginnings to Historic Foundations*

- F.R. Allchin *The Archaeology of Early Historic South Asia: The Emergence of Cities and States*, Cambridge University Press, Cambridge
- BD Chattopadhyaya, *Studying Early India: Archaeology, Texts and Historical Issues*
- J. Marshall, *A Guide to Taxila*
- J. Marshall, *Taxila: An Illustrated Account of Excavations, 1913-34* (3 vols.)
- J. Fergusson, *History of Indian and Eastern Architecture*, vols. I & II
- J. Deloche *Ancient Bridges of India*
- L.A. Waddell *Report on the Excavations at Pataliputra*
- A. Cunningham *The Stupa of Bharhut*
- A. Cunningham *The Bhilsa Topes*
- J. Marshall &
A. Foucher *The Monuments of Sanchi* (3 vols)
- H. Cousens *Buddhist Stupa at Mirpur-Khas, Sind*, ASIAR, 1909-10

PAPERS RECOMMENDED:

- D. B. Spooner “Mr. Ratan Tata’s Excavation at Pataliputra”, *Archaeological Survey of India Annual Report*, 1912-13
- F.R. Allchin &
K.R. Norman “Guide to the Asokan Inscriptions”, *South Asian Studies*, no.1, pp.43-50
- J. Marshall, “Excavations at Bhita”, *Archaeological Survey of India Annual Report*, 1911-12, pp.29-94
- F.R. Allchin “City and State Formation in Early Historic South Asia”, *South Asian Studies*, no. 5, 1988-89, pp. 1-16
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- Sraman Mukherjee “New Province, Old Capital: Making Patna Pataliputra”, *Indian Economic and Social History Review*, 2009, vol. 46, no. 2, pp. 241-79
- Yogesh Sharma “The Circuit of Life: Water and Water Reservoirs in Pre-Modern India”, *Studies in History*, vol. 25, no. 1, n.s. 2009, pp. 69-108

HS-9025 : THE CHOLAS

Teacher: Dr. (Mrs.) S. Chandni Bi

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

20

- a. Sources with special reference to Epigraphy.
- b. Emergence of Chola empire
- c. Political History: Raja Raja I, Rajendra I, Kulottunga I and Kulottunga III
- d. Administration; Central, Provincial, Military, Revenue and Judicial Administration.
- e. Concept of State; theory of segmentary state and its major criticism.

UNIT-II

20

- a. Economy: Land, Agriculture, Irrigation, Taxation, Trade and Commerce.
- b. Socio-cultural Life: society, customs and practices, religion, festivals and entertainments education and educational institutions and literature.

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2. The Larger Laiden plates of Rajaraja-I (1006-7 A.D.) published in Epigraphic India XXII. pp.254-66.
3. Draksharama Inscription of Kulottunga I (1103 A.D.) published in Epigraphia Indica Vol. XXII,pp.144-45.
4. Kalingatuptarani by Jayan Kondar, Canto 10,11,& 12 published in Indian Antiquary vol. XIX. PP.331-336.

Note: There will be three questions one each from the two Units, and one based the documents.

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- Champaklakshmi, R., : *Trade ideology and Urbanization in south India, 300 B.C., to 1300 A.D.*, Delhi, OUP. 1996.
- Heitzman, James : *Gifts of Power, Lordship in an early Indian State*, Delhi, 1997.
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- Karashima Noboru : *South Indian History and Society Studies from Inscriptions, 850-1800 A.D.*, Delhi (1984).
- Nilakanta Sastri : *Colas*, Madras University, University Historical Series No.9, Reprint, 2000.

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- Sharma R.S. & Sharimali K.M. : *Cholas, Chlukyas and Rajputs (ed.)* A.D. 985-1206. Pt. I, Comprehensive History of India, V.4, (1992).
- Sivaramamurthy, C. : *Chola Temples*, 3rd. –ed. Archaeological Survey of India, New Delhi, 1978.
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- Stein Burton : *All the Kings Mana Papers on Medieval south Indian History, Chennai*, (1984).
- Subbarayalu, Y. : *Political Geography of the Chola Country, Madras*, (1973).
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- Tirumalai, R. : *Rajendra Vinnagar*, Chennai, (1980).
- Venkataraman B., : *Rajarajesvaram the Pinnacle of Chola Art, Chennai*, (1965).

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- Arjun Appadurai : “Right and Left hand Castes in South India”, IESHR, Vol. XI, No.2-3, pp.216-259.
- James Heitzman : “State Formation in South India (850-1280 A.D.), *Indian Economic Social History Review*, (IESHR) Vol XXIV, No.1, 1987, pp.35-61.
- R. Nagasamy : “South Indian Temple – As an employer, *IESHR*, Vol. 2, No.4. pp.367-73.
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- Chandni Bi S. : “*Female Functionaries of Medieval South Indian Temples*”, *Indian History and Culture*, 12th Issues, pp.51-69.

**HS-9026: MUSLIM RELIGIOUS THOUGHT AND MOVEMENTS IN INDIA
(1200-1707)**

Teacher: Dr. Syed Liyaqat Husain Moini

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

14

1. STATE OF ISLAMIC RELIGIOUS THOUGHT C. 1200:
 - a. The Juridical Systems.
 - b. Theological Structure: Al-Ghazali
 - c. Tasawwuf (Sufism)
2. EARLY SUFI MOVEMENTS: THE *CHISHTI* AND *SUHARWARDI SILSILAHs*:
 - a. Basic elements of their thought and philosophy. Shaikh Shaikh Nizamuddin Auliya's views on theology and ethics (*Fawaidul' Fu'ad*) Firdausi *Silsilah*.
 - b. Attitude of saints towards state, social classes & Non-Muslims.
 - c. The orthodox theological traditions, and contributions to *fiqh* literature.

UNIT-II

13

3. MILLENARY AND OTHER MOVEMENTS:
 - a. The Mahdawi Movement: Shaikh Muhammad Jaunpuri and his basic teachings.
 - b. The Shattari *silsilah* in India. Saiyid Muhammad Ghaus and his teachings.
 - c. The influence of Iran and the '*Isna ashari*' sect, Nurullah Shustari.
 - d. Ibn-ul-Arabi's thought on Indian Sufism.
 - e. The Religious Environment of Akbar's Court. The Thought of Abul Fazl.

UNIT-III

13

4. a. Badauni's religious and ethical thought, esp. in the *Nijatu'r Rashid*.
 - b. Abdul Haq Muhaddis and his contribution to theological thought.
 - c. The Naqshbandi *Silsilah*: Shaikh Ahmad Sirhindi and principal elements of his mystic thought.
 - d. The Qadiris: Miyan Mir. Dara Shukoh and his interpretation of mysticism.

Note: There will be three questions one from each Unit.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED

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| Martin Lings | - What is Sufism? |
| Amir Hassan Dehalvi | - Fawaidul' Fuad (tr. Bruce B. Lawrence), |
| K.A.Nizami | - Some Aspects of Religion and Politics in India during the Thirteenth Century |
| -do- | - The Life and Times of Shaikh Fariduddin Ganj-i Shakar. |
| -do- | - Life and Times of Shaikh Nizamuddin Auliya. |
| -do- | - Life and Times of Shaikh Nasiruddin, Chiragh-i Delhi. |

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| -do- | - Akbar and Religion. |
| Aziz Ahmad | - Studies in Islamic Culture in the Indian Environment. |
| Aziz Ahmad | - Intellectual History of Islam in India (Islamic Surveys Series). |
| Annemarie Schimmel | - Islam in the Indian Sub-continent. |
| -do- | - Mysitcal Dimensions of Islam |
| Mohammad Habib | - Politics and Society during the Early Medieval period (Collected works) ed. K.A.Nizami. |
| S.A.A.Rizvi | - History of Sufism in India; 2 Vols. |
| -do- | - Muslim Revivalist Movements in Northern India in the sixteenth and Seventeenth centuries. |
| -do- | - Religious and Intellectual History of Muslims in Akbar's Reign with Special reference to Abul Fazl (1556-1605). |
| -do- | - A socio-Intellectual History of Isna-Asharis |
| - do- | - Shias in India Vols. I & II. |
| Muhammad Mujeeb | - The Indian Muslims. |
| Y. Friedmann | - Shaikh Ahmad Sirhindi, An outline of his thought and a study of his image in the eyes of Posterity. |
| Bikramajit Hasrat | - Dara Shukoh, Life and Works. |
| Zafarul Islam | - Socio-Economic Dimensions of fiqh literatue in Medieval India. |
| W. Montgomery Watt. | - Islamic Philosophy and Theology. |
| Hameed Qalandar | - Khairul Majalis (ed.)K.A.Nizami. |
| Qamruddin | - The Mahdavi Movement in India. |
| Troll, C.W., (ed.) | - Muslim Shrines in India. |
| Carl Earnst | - The Eternal Garden: Khuldabad |
| B. Lawrence & | - Sufi Martyrs of Love -The Chishti order in South Asia and beyond |
| C.W. Earnst | - Sufism |
| S. Liyaqat H. Moini | - The Chishti Shrine of Ajmer Pirs, Pilgrims, Practices |
| Paul Jackson | - Way of a Sufi , Sharfuddin Maneri |
| Fatima Bilgrami | - History of the Qadir order in India 16-18 th Century |
| Asghar Ali Engineer (ed.) | - Sufism-Inter religions under standing |
| William C. Chittick | - Sufism- A short introduction |

ARTICLES:

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|------------|--|
| K.A.Nizami | - <i>Early Indo-Muslim Mystics and their attitude towards the state,</i>
<i>Islamic Culture, Oct. 1949, pp.387-98; Jan. 1950, pp.60-71.</i> |
| -do- | - <i>Naqshbandi Saints and their influence on the Mughal Politics,</i>
<i>Islamic culture, Jan. 1965, pp.41-52.</i> |
| -do- | - <i>The Shattari Silsilah and its attitude towards the state',</i>
<i>Medieval India - Quarterly, Oct. 1950, 56-70.</i> |

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| I.A.Zilli | - | <i>Early Sufi thought in India' Proceedings of IHCC, 1977, pp.179-191</i> |
| -do- | - | <i>Precept and paradox – Chishti attitude towards Social labour, Proceedings of IHC, 1986.</i> |
| -do- | - | <i>Production of Early malfuzat; Fact or Fiction.</i> |
| Bruce B. Lawrence | - | <i>The earliest Chishtiya and Shaikh Nizamuddin Aulia (d.1325);</i>
Delhi through the Ages, ed. R.E., Frykenberg.
The Chishti Shrine of Ajmer: Pirs Practices and Pilgrims |
| S. Liyaqat H. Moini | - | <i>Akbar and Ajmer Shrine.</i> |
| -do- | - | <i>Position and Role of Khadim-i-khas in Pir Murid Relations. Sufis and Sufism (ed.) Neeru Mishra.</i> |

**HS-9027: DEVELOPMENT OF ARCHITECTURE IN INDIA
(13TH TO 17TH CENTURY)**

Teacher: Dr. Mohd. Afzal Khan

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

1. (a) METHODS AND TECHNIQUES: Trabeate, Corbelled & Arcuate. Building and Binding material. 07
(b) THE QUTB COMPLEX: (i) Emergence of true arch, dome and minaret. (ii) Detailed Study of Quwwat-ul-Islam Mosque, Qutb Minar, Tomb of Iltutmish, Alai Darwaza.
2. THE TUGHLAQ, SAYYID AND LODI ARCHITECTURE: 06
 - a. Mosque and tomb architecture of Tughlaqs. Detailed study of tombs of Ghiyasuddin Tughlaq, Khan-i-Jahan Telangani.
 - b. Tomb architecture of Sayyids and Lodis. Square and Octagonal Tombs. Detailed Study of Sikandar Lodi's Tomb.

UNIT-II

3. THE SUR ARCHITECTURE: The tomb and mosque architecture. Study of Qila-i Kuhna Mosque and Sher Shah's Tomb. 04
4. EMERGENCE OF MUGHAL ARCHITECTURE: 09
 - a. Origins under Babur : Mosques & Gardens.
 - b. Salient architectural features of Humayun's tomb.
 - c. Basic features of Akbari architecture: Agra Fort,. Fatehpur Sikri

UNIT-III

5. DEVELOPMENT OF MUGHAL ARCHITECTURE: 06
 - a. The influence of Central Asian & Persian architecture on Mughal architectural features.
 - b. Impact of Provincial architecture:Gujarat, Bengal and Rajasthan.
 - c. Tombs of Akbar and Itimad-ud-Daula .
6. ZENITH OF MUGHAL ARCHITECTURE:
 - a. Characteristic features of architecture under Shahjahan: Agra and Delhi Forts.
 - b. Taj Mahal and Jama Masjid, Delhi.
 - c. Development of decorative techniques under the Mughals.
 - d. Brief survey of architecture under Aurangzeb.

Note: There will be three questions, one from each Unit.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

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| Percy Brown | - | <i>Indian Architecture</i> (Islamic Period), Bombay 1981. |
| James Ferguson | - | <i>History of Indian and Eastern Architecture</i> , vol. II; Book VII, Delhi, 1972. |
| E.B. Havell | - | <i>Indian Architecture Through the Ages</i> , chap. X. Delhi 1978. |
| Martin Hurlimann | - | <i>Delhi, Agra, Fatehpur Sikri</i> , London, 1975. |
| R. Nath | - | <i>Some Aspects of Mughal Architecture</i> , Delhi, 1976. |
| R. Nath | - | <i>History of Mughal Architecture</i> , Vol. I, II, Delhi 1985. |
| R. Nath | - | <i>Colour Decoration in Mughal Architecture</i> , Bombay, 1970. |
| R. Nath | - | <i>The Immortal Taj</i> , Bombay 1972. |
| Abha Rani | - | <i>Tughlaq Architecture of Delhi, Varanasi</i> , 1991. |
| Pratapaditya Pal | - | <i>Romance of the Taj Mahal</i> , New Delhi, 1983 (Chapter 2). |
| S.A.A. Rizvi & Vincent | - | <i>Fatehpur Sikri</i> , Delhi, 1972. |
| John Adams Flynn | | |
| E.W. Smith | - | <i>The Mughal Architecture of Fatehpur Sikri</i> , vol. I-IV (A.S.I.) Delhi. |
| George Michell & Snehal Shah (ed.) | - | <i>Ahmedabad</i> , Bombay, 1988. |
| Derak Hill & Olig Graber | - | <i>Islamic Architecture and its Decoration</i> . London, 1964. |
| W. Begley & Z.A. Desai | - | <i>Taj Mahal, The Illuminated Tomb</i> , Washington, 1989. |
| Satish Grover | - | <i>The Architecture of India</i> (Islamic), N. Delhi, 1981. |
| Amrit Verma | - | <i>Forts of India</i> , New Delhi, 1985. |
| K.V. Soundara Rajan | - | <i>Islam builds in India</i> , Delhi 1983. |
| Catherine B. Asher | - | <i>Architecture of Mughal India</i> , Cambridge, 1992 |
| (The New Cambridge History of India). | | |
| Ebba Koch | - | <i>Mughal Architecture an outline of its history and development, 1526-1858</i> , Munich, 1991. |
| Ebba Koch | - | <i>'Pietre dure and other Artistic contacts between the court of the Mughals and that of the Medici' in A Mirror of Princes, the Mughals and the Medici</i> , ed. Dalu Jones, Bombay, 1987. |
| Michael Brand & Glenn D. Lowry (ed.) | - | <i>Fatehpur Sikri: (International) Symposium</i> |
| Fatehpur Sikri), Harvard University, | | 1985. |
| Juneja, M. (ed.) | - | <i>Architecture in Medieval India</i> , Delhi, 2001. |
| S.A.N. Rezavi | - | "Iranian Influence on Medieval Indian Architecture," in <i>The Growth of Civilization in India & Iran</i> , ed., Irfan Habib, Delhi. 2002. |
| Surendra Sahai | - | <i>Indian Architecture, Islamic Period.</i> |

HS-9028: INDO-PERSIAN HISTORIOGRAPHY (DELHI SULTANATE)

Teacher: Dr. Ali Athar

Total No. of Lectures = 40

Unit-I

13

1. **Historiography:** Nature and Concept
2. Arab and Persian traditions of historiography; **Source Material** – Political Chronicles, Insha literature, Poetical literature, Mystic Literature, Foreigners' Account.
3. Modern writings and assessment of the *Taj-ul Maasir*, *Tarikh-i Firozshahi*.

Unit-II

13

1. Sadruddin Hasan Nizami. His approach to history. Contents of the **Taj-ul Maasir**. Its importance and defects.
2. Minhaj-us Siraj Juzjani as a historian. The Central theme of investigation in the *Tabqat-i Nasiri*. The importance of **Tabaqat-i-Nasiri** as a historical literature and its Shortcomings.

Unit-III

14

1. **Isami's Futuh-u's-Salatin:**
Socio-political milieu of Isami; Treatment of history of the Delhi sultans by Isami; methodology and approach of Isami to the history of the Khalji and the Tughluq Sultans.
2. **Zia u'd-Din Barani's 'Tarikh-i Firoz Shahi:**
Scope of Barani's *Tarikh-i Firozshahi*. Barani's sources of Information; treatment of the history of the Khalji Sultans in the *Tarikh-i-Firuz Shahi*; Barani's assessment of Sultan Muhammad bin Tughluq's personality and character.
3. **Shams Siraj Afif's 'Tarikh-i Firuz Shah:**
Afif's approach to the history of Firuz Shah's reign; nature of Afif's work;

Note: There will be three questions, one from each unit.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

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| Peter Hardy, | : | <i>Historians of Medieval India</i> |
| Mohibbul Hasan | : | <i>Historians of Medieval India</i> , relevant chapters, particularly on Zia U'd-Din Barani by Professor K.A.Nizami. |
| Philips | : | <i>Historians of India, Pakistan and Cevlon</i> . (relevant chapters). |
| Prof. Mohd. Habib | : | <i>Political theory of the Delhi Sultanate: Fatwa-i Jahandari</i> , Introduction and notes. |
| -do- | : | Ziauddin Barani <i>Islamic Culture</i> , Hyderabad, 1938. |

- K.A.Nizami : *On History and Historians of Medieval India* , New Delhi, 1983.
- do- : On Sources and Source material. *Historical Studies – Indian Islamic Vol. I*, Delhi – 1995.
- do- : Supplement to Elliot & Dowson’s History of India vol.III Delhi, 1981.
- Firoz Shah : *Futuh-i-Firoz Shahi* Eng. Tr. And edition Azra Alavi, Delhi.
- Bhagwat Swaroop : *Taj-ul Maasir* (The Crown of Glorious Deeds).
- Shams Siraj Afif : *Tarikh-i-Firoz Shahi* Eng. Translation by R.C. Jauhari.
- ARTICLES:**
- Syed Hasan Barni : Ziauddin Barani. Islamic Culture. Vol. 12-Jan. 1938.
- Irfan Habib : Barani’s theory of History of Delhi Sultanate, IHR, vol. 7 Nos. 1-2. 1980-81.

HS-9029: GUJARAT, 1500-1759

Teacher: Mr. Jawaid Akhtar

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

1. Gujarat Sultanate in 1500: Extent, Structure of Polity. Organization and Composition of the ruling class under Mahmud Begda.
2. Military campaigns of Mahmud Begda and the expansion of the kingdom. Civil Administration.
3. Sultan Muzaffar II. Malik Aiyaz and his relations with the Portuguese.
4. Expansion of Gujarat Kingdom under Bahadur Shah; Conquest of Ahmad Nagar and Malwa, invasion of Chittor. Conflict with Humayun and Bahadur Shah. Relations with the Portuguese.
5. Decline of the Gujarat Sultanate after Bahadur Shah. Conditions on eve of the Mughal Conquest.

UNIT-II

1. Akbar's conquest of Gujarat. Organization of Mughal administration of Gujarat under Akbar. Territorial and revenue – arrangements. Suppression of rebellions of Muzaffar III. (1583-92) and Bahadur (1596). Rise of Surat as port.
2. Gujarat under Jahangir. Arrival of the English and the Dutch.
3. The great famine (1630 and 1632) and its consequences. Administration of Gujarat under Shahajahan. Expansion of trade. The great Merchants; Santidas Sahu and Virji Vora.
4. Gujarat under Aurangzeb. Sack of Surat by Shivaji. Fiscal and other administrative measures of Aurangzeb. The increasing threat from Marathas. Difficulties with local elements.
5. Gujarat under later Mughals. The Maratha incursion and annexations. Emergence of the dual regime of Mughals and Marathas 1737-1753.

UNIT-III

1. Structure of Mughal administration in Gujarat, Revenue Administration, Port Administration. Currency System.
2. Agriculturally production, cash crops, esp. indigo, major craft-industries. The city of Ahmadabad.
3. The Portuguese Impact o overseas trade: The Portuguese maritime empire; spice monopoly; system of cartaz, Collapse of Portuguese maritime supremacy.
4. Inland Trade and Commerce in the 17th century: Inland trade. Foreign trade. Merchants and Bankers (*sarrafi* and their organization. Merchants and the state, Mughal policy towards trade and commerce.

5. Gujarat's trade with the Persian Gulf, Red Sea and S.E. Asia; coastal commerce. Gujarati shipping in the 16th and 17th centuries: from junks to European style ships, Marine insurance and other practices.
6. The impact of Portuguese supremacy in the 16th century. Arrival of the English and the Dutch. Theory of the Asian Trade Revolution" and its applicability to Gujarat. The extent of transfer of Gujarat trade to the cape of Good Hope.
7. Decline of Gujarat trade in the first half of the 18th century. The position of Surat.

Note: There will be three questions one from each Unit.

M.S. Commissariat	:	<i>History of Gujarat</i> , 2 vols.
J.W. Watson	:	<i>History of Gujarat</i>
Tapan Ray. Chaudhuri And Irfan Habib (ed.)	:	<i>Cambridge Economic History of India</i> . Vol. I.
MN Pearson	:	<i>Merchants and Rulers in Gujarat</i>
Surendra Gopal	:	<i>Commerce and Crafts in Gujarat: 16th and 17th Century</i> .
Muhammad Ali Khan	:	<i>Mirat-i-Ahmadi</i> , trans. 2 vols. And suppl.
M.A.P. Melink-Roelofs	:	<i>Asian Trade and European Influence</i>
K.S.Mathew	:	<i>Portuguese and the Sultanate of Gujarat (1500-1573)</i> .
Ashin Das Gupta	:	<i>Indian Merchants and decline of Surat</i> .
Makrand Mehta	:	<i>Indian Merchants & Enterprenetrs in Historical perspective</i> .
Dwijendra Tripathi (ed.)	:	<i>Business Communities of India</i> .
Dwijendra Tripathi (ed.)	:	<i>State and Business in India</i>

Articles:

Ashin Das Gupta	:	Trade and Politics in 18 th Century India in D.S. Richards (ed.)
<i>Islam and the Trade of Asia.</i>		
Ashin Das Gupta	:	The Crises at Surat 1730-32, in <i>Bengal Past and Present</i> , 1967.
M.P.Singh	:	Merchants and the Local Administration and Civil Life in Gujarat during the 17 th Century in <i>Medieval India – A</i>
A.J.Qaisar	:	<i>Broker's in Medieval India</i> .
-do-	:	'Recruitment of Merchants in the Mughal Administration' (Cyclesyld)
Sushil Chaudhuri	:	' <i>The Gujarati Mahajan</i> ' in the Proceedings of Indian History Congress, 1980.

- M.S. Commissariat : Political Organization and Revenue Resources of Gujarat under the Sultanate, *JRASB.*, No.74, 1921-22.
- M.S. Commissariat : a brief History of the Gujarat Sultanate in *JRASB* No.72, Vol. 26, 1921-22.
- Irfan Habib : 'Merchant Communities in Precolonial India' in James D. Tracy, ed., *The Rise of Merchant Empires*.
- Shireen Moosvi : The Economy of Gujarat, C. 1600 in Indian History Congress, 1983 (Cyclostyled).
- Shireen Moosvi : *Gujarat Ports and its Hinterland*
- Farhat Hasan : State and Locality.

HS-9015: ECONOMIC HISTORY OF INDIA, 1757-1853

Teacher: B.L. Bhadani

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

12

1. Early Phase of colonial Economy in India (to C.1800)
 - a. The English East India Company and its rule in Bengal, South India and the Carnatic Debts.
 - b. The Drain of wealth and its mechanism, magnitude and effects.
 - c. Indian manufacturers for external market. Inland Commerce.

Unit-II

14

2. The Agrarian Settlements down to 1857:
 - a. Agrarian conditions in Bengal preceding the Permanent Settlement.
 - b. The Permanent Settlement – Objectives, Operation. Its effect on *zamindars* and peasants. Official critiques.
3.
 - a. The *Ryotwari* Settlement of Madras Presidency.
 - b. The Periodic Settlements: *Ryotwari* and the *Mahalwari* System. Consequences.

UNIT-III

14

3. Agriculture Before Railways:
Increase in cultivation of export crops: Indigo plantations. Growth of opium cultivation after 1820.
4. The Traditional artisanal industries: the question of “De-industrialization” process in the 19th Century:
 - a. The concept of De-industrialization. The evidence and its interpretation.
 - b. Imports of English cloth and yarn and their effects on the Indian hand-industry. Calculations of internal cotton availability and textile employment.
5. Trade and Commerce:
 - a. Changing nature of external trade. The effects of the Charter Acts of 1813 and 1833. Fall of Agency Houses.
 - b. The rise of Opium trade and its significance. Tribute payment.
 - c. Drain of Wealth during the first half of the 19th century.

DOCUMENTS

Vol. II: Cornwallis, Minute, 10,2.1750, pp.527-43. Unit-I
Vol. III: Munro’s Report on Ryotwari, August 1807, pp.501-514. Unit-I
K.N. Chaudhuri (ed.) : The Economic Development of India Under the East India company, 1814-1854. Crawford’s Memoir, pp.217-56 & 281-300. Unit-II

Karl Marx	: 'The British Rule in India', 'The East India Company its History and Results' 'The Future Results of the British Rule in India' (in Marx and Engles', <i>the first War of Independence 1857-59</i> , pp.13-19, 20-28 & 29-35). Unit-IV
Dadabhai Naoroji	: <i>Poverty and un-British Rule in India</i> , pp.1-50. Unit-V
C.J. Hamilton	: <i>The Trade Relations between England and India 1600-1896</i> , Chapter IX, pp.231-60. Unit-V
William Digby	: <i>Prosperous British India-A Revelation from Official Record: Chingiz. IV, Famine</i> . Unit-IV

Note: There will be Three questions one from each Unit, out of these one requiring comments on passages from the Documents

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

Romesh Dutt	: <i>The Economic History of India</i> , vol. I & II.
N.K. Sinha	: <i>The Economic History of Bengal III</i>
Irfan Habib	: <i>Essays in Indian History – Towards a Marxist Perception (relevant essays)</i>
A. Siddiqui	: <i>Agrarian change in Northern India</i> .
Nilmani Mukerjee	: <i>Royotwari System in Madras 1792-1827</i> .
Rajeshwari, P.	: <i>Some Aspects of British Revenue Policy in India 1773-1833</i> .
E. Stokes	: <i>The English Utilitarians and India</i> , (Relevant Chapters).
E.E. Frykenberg (ed.)	: <i>Land Control and Social Structure in Indian History</i> .
Dharma Kumar (ed.)	: <i>Cambridge Economic History of India, Vol. II</i> .
C.D. Deshmukh	: <i>Economic Development in India. 1860-1970</i> .
T.R. Metcalf	: <i>Land, Landlords and the British Raj Northern Indian in the 19th century</i> .
B.N. Ganguli	: <i>Dadabhai Naoroji and the Drain Theory</i> .
Bipan Chandra	: <i>The Rise and Growth of Economic nationalism in India</i> .
Brij Narain	: <i>Economic Life, Past & Present</i> .
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Surendra J. Patel	: <i>Agricultural Labourer in India & Pakistan</i> .
V.B. Singh (ed.)	: <i>Economic History of India (1850-1950)</i>
Angus Maddison	: <i>Class Structure & Economic Growth in India and Pakistan since the Mughals. Modern Asian Studies, on Cambridge Economic History of India, vol. 19, No.3, 1985</i> .

- Tan Chung : *China and the Brave New World*
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- D. Rothermund : *Economic History of India from pre-colonial times to 1986.*
- Irfan Habib : *Indian Economy, 1850-1914*, 2005.

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- Morris D. Morris : 'The Population of all India 1800-1951', *I.E.S.H.R.*, Vol. XI 1974.
- S. Bhattacharya : 'Laissez-Faire in India', *I.E.S.H.R.*, January 1965.
- S. Bhattacharya : 'Cultural and Social Constraints in Technological Innovation', *I.E.S.H.R.*, Vol. III, No.3, Sept. 1966, pp.241-67.
- Shireen Moosvi : 'De-industrialization, population change and migration in 19th century India', *IHR*, No.17, 1993.
- do- : 'The Indian Economic Experience 1600-1900- A Quantitative Study' A Maddison and H. Van der Wee, ed. *Economic Growth and Structural change: comparative Approaches over the Long run*, Italy, 1994.
- Sulekh Chandra Gupta : "Agrarian Structure in U.P. in the late 18th and early 19th centuries" *Contributions to Indian Economic History*, ed., T. Raychaudhuri, pp.21-45.
- Amalendu Guha : "Raw cotton of Western India: Output, Transportation and Marketing, 1750-1850", *I.E.S.H.R* Vol. IX, No. 1, 1972, pp.1-42.
- Marika Vicziany : "The Deindustrialization of India in the Nineteenth Century: A Methodological critique of Amiya Kumar Bagchi", *I.E.S.H.R*, Vol. XVI, No.2, 1979, pp.105-146.

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- Amalendu Guha : “Assamese Agrarian Society in late 19th Century roots, Structures and Trends”, *I.E.S.H.R*, XVII, No.1, 1980, pp.35-94.

HS-9016: GROWTH OF INDIAN CAPITALISM, 1851-1919

Teacher: Dr. M. Sajjad

No. of Lectures = 40

Unit-I: De-industrialization and Railways:

1. Handicraft industries in pre-colonial India. The process of “de-industrialization” under British rule: The Morris D. Morris debate.
2. Railway Construction and its Consequences: The objectives behind railway construction. British companies and their privileges. “Commercialization” of agriculture and increase of landless labour. Impact on emergence of modern industry in India.

Unit-II : Emergence of Modern Industry and Banking.

3. The European-controlled sectors. Plantations. Coal mines. Jute Industry. Nature of foreign capital.
4. Cotton textile industry: sources of Indian capital. Labour supply. Beginnings of Indian iron Industry: TISCO.
5. Banking: Fall of Agency Houses and Modern banking, Control of European Capital & British Govt. over banks and its implications.

Unit-III: Problems of Indian Capitalism under British Rule till 1919:

6. British Policy towards Indian Industry. “Free Trade:” Tariff policy after 1858. Removal of tariffs, 1878-82. Stop age of minting, 1891, and its effect on Indian textile industry. The Counter-vailing excise, 1894-96.
7. Hostility to Indian industrialization: “Buy British” policies of the Railways. London bankers and the establishment of TISCO. The Swadeshi Movement. The fight for Protection and Low Exchange Ratio.
8. Composition of the working class. Indentured labour: mines and plantation. Beginnings of trade unions. Labour legislation. Early nationalist criticisms.

Note: There will be three questions, one from each Unit.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

Irfan Habib	:	<i>‘Essays in Indian History’</i> (Relevant chapters)
R.J. Hopton (ed.)	:	<i>‘Cities, Capitalism and Civilization’</i>
R.C.Dutt	:	<i>‘Economic History of India’</i> , vol. I & II.
R.P.Dutt.	:	<i>India Today</i>
D.R. Gadgil	:	<i>‘The Industrial Evolution of India in Recent Times’</i> , 1860-1939.
S.C.Jha	:	<i>‘Studies in the Development of Capitalism in India’</i> .
V.I. Pavlov	:	<i>‘Historical Premises for India’s Transition to Capitalism’</i>

-do-	:	<i>'The Indian Capitalist Class.'</i>
D.H. Buchanan	:	<i>'The Development of Capitalistic Enterprise in India'</i>
Amiya K. Bagchi	:	<i>'Private Investment in India 1900-1939.'</i>
A.L. Levkovsky	:	<i>'Capitalism in India: Basic trends in its Development'.</i>
Dharma Kumar (ed.)	:	<i>'The Cambridge Economic History of India', vol. II, 1757-1970.</i>
Angus Maddison	:	<i>'Class Structure and Economic Growth in India and Pakistan since the Mughals'.</i>
Goldsmith	:	<i>'Financial Development of India', 1860-1977.</i>
S.D. Mehta	:	<i>'The cotton Mills of India' 1854-1954.</i>
M.D. Morris	:	<i>'The Emergence of an Industrial labour force in India'.</i>
B. Shiva Rao	:	<i>'The Industrial Worker in India'.</i>
K.M. Mukerjee	:	<i>'Notes on the Rise of the business Communities in India.'</i>
R.S. Rungta	:	<i>'The Rise of Business Corporations in India'.</i>
P.S. Lokanathan	:	<i>'Industrial Organization in India'.</i>
L.C. Jain	:	<i>'Indigenous Banking in India'.</i>
S.K. Muranjan	:	<i>'Modern Banking in India'.</i>
George Blyn	:	<i>Agricultural Trends in India</i>
S. Bhattacharya	:	<i>Financial Foundation of the Raj.</i>
G. Mishra	:	<i>Economic History of Modern India (relevant chapters).</i>
B.R. Tomlinson	:	<i>The New Cambridge Economic History of India.</i>
Bipan Chandra	:	<i>Nationalism and Communalism in Modern India.</i>
-do-	:	<i>Rise and Growth of Economic Nationalism in India.</i>
C.A. Bayly	:	<i>Rulers, Townsmen, and Bazaar</i>
Aditya Mukherji	:	<i>Indian Capitalists Class.</i>
Amiya Bagchi	:	<i>Evolution of Indian Industries.</i>
Dwijendra Tripathi (ed.)	:	<i>Business Communities of India: A Historical Perspective, Manohar, Delhi, 1984.</i>

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1. Desai, Ashoke V. : *'Origins of Parsi Enterprise', IESHR, vol. V. (4), Dec., 1968.*
2. Bhattacharya, S., : *'Laissez Faire in India'. IESHR, (1) Jan 1965.*
3. Sen, A.K. *'Surplus Labour in India', Economic Journal, Vol. LXXVII, March, pp.154-61.*
4. Morris, M.D., " *'Private Industrial Investment on Modern Indian Subcontinent', 1900-937' Modern Asian Studies, 8, 1974.*

HS-9031: REBELLION OF 1857-1858

Teacher: Dr. Amir Ahmad

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

14

1. British expansionist policy: Subsidiary alliance; Doctrine of Lapse; Annexation of Nagpur, Satara, Punjab, Jhansi and Awadh.
2. The Economic and Social consequences of the British Colonialism: Land revenue policy; De-industrialization; British education policy: Role of missionaries.
3. Forms of traditional Resistance to the British Colonialism: The “Wahabi” and the popular Movements.

UNIT-II

12

4. The Bengal Army: Composition and social background; sepoy grievances; Revolt of the Bengal army.
5. The Role and discontent of different classes: Princes, Taluqdars, Zamindars, peasants, artisans and religious elements.
6. Development of the Revolt: Geographical extent; political ideas and symbols of the rebels.

UNIT-III

14

7. Rebel Administration: Delhi, Lucknow and Bareilly.
8. Factors behind the failure of the Revolt.
9. The current debate on the nature of the Revolt including Sir Syed Ahmad Khan.

DOCUMENTS

Marx and Engels	-	<i>On Colonialism, (1978 edition) pp.134-37, Unit-II138-42,Unit-III 152-55,Unit-II 168-72,Unit-II 173-75,Unit-I 184-90. Unit-III</i>
-do-	-	<i>The First War of Independence, (1988edition), m pp.94-99, Unit-I 101-104, 105-111, 151-153 Unit-III.</i>
S.A.A. Rezavi	-	<i>Freedom Struggle in U.P. Vol. I, pp.438-39, Unit-I 448-49, 450-51, 453-58 Unit-II 486-88 Unit-III 459-63 Unit-II, 465-68 Unit-II Vol. II, 525-28, 528-31, Unit-III Vol. IV, 589-90 Unit-II Vol. V, 988-931 Unit-II</i>
Charles Ball	-	<i>History of the Indian Mutiny, Vol. II, pp.276-79. (Canning’s Taluqdari Proclamation). Unit-I</i>

Note: There will be three questions one from each Unit. At least one out of these questions shall be set on quotations from the Documents under the relevant Unit.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

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| S.N.Sen | - | <i>Eighty Fifty Seven.</i> |
| George Bangerfield | - | <i>Bengal Mutiny.</i> |
| P.C. Joshi | - | <i>Rebellion, 1857: A Symposium.</i> |
| Har Prasad Chattopadhyaya | - | <i>The Scpoy Mutiny, 1857: A Social Study and Analysis, Calcutta, 1957.</i> |
| David Hutchinson | - | <i>Annals of the Indian Rebellion, 1857-58.</i> |
| R.C. Majumdar | - | <i>The Sepoy Mutiny and the Rvolt of 1857.</i> |
| S.B. Chaudhari | - | <i>English Historical Writings on the Indian Mutiny, 1857-58.</i> |
| Mahdi Hasan | - | <i>Bahadur Shah II.</i> |
| Pratul Chandra Gupta | - | <i>Nana Sahib and the Rising at Cawnpore.</i> |
| Maria Germon | - | <i>Journal of the Seige of Lucknow.</i> |
| G.W. Forrest | - | <i>A History of the Indian Mutiny, 2 Vols.</i> |
| K.K. Datta | - | <i>Biography of Kunwar Singh and Amar Singh.</i> |
| G.B. Malleson | - | <i>History of the Indian Mutiny.</i> |
| J. Kaye | - | <i>History of the Sepoy War in India, 3 Vols.</i> |
| E. Stokes | - | <i>The Peasant and the Raj.</i> |
| -do- | - | <i>The Peasants Armed: The Indian Revolt of 1857.</i> |
| Rudrangshu Mookerji | - | <i>Awadh in Revolt, 1857-58.</i> |
| Iqbal Husain | - | 'Bakht Khan', in <i>We Fought together for Freedom</i> , ed. Ravi Dayal. |
| Adas, Michael | - | Twentieth Century Approaches to the Indian Muting of 1857-58', <i>Journal of Asian History</i> , 1971, Vol. S. pt. 1, pp.1-19. |
| Iqbal Husain | - | 'Elements of the Ideological background to the Rebellion of 1857; Procead, IHC. Eorakhpur, 1989.Social Scientist (Special Issue on 1857, Selected Essays only). |
| William Dalrymple | - | <i>The Last Mughal, the fall of a dynasty, Delhi 1857, 2007.</i> |
| S.R.Bakshi | - | <i>1857 The Historic Rebellion, Delhi, 2007.</i> |
| Sabyasachi Bhattacharya | - | <i>Rethinking 1857, Hyderabad, 2007.</i> |
| S. Shahabuddin Iraqi (ed.) | - | <i>Sir Syed Ahmad Khan: Vision and Mission, New Delhi, 2008.</i> |
| Sir Syed Ahmad Khan | - | <i>Asbab-i-Baghawat-i-Hind</i> |

HS-9032: SOCIETY AND CULTURE DURING THE SECOND HALF OF THE 19TH CENTURY

Teacher: Dr. Sumbul Halim Khan

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

1. Impact of British Rule on Society: 3
Effects of British Land Settlements on rural Society.
2. British Social Policy: 4
The Utilitarian Impulse; Pre-Mutiny Social legislation. The Post-Mutiny retreat in social reform policy.
3. The Bengal Renaissance, initial phase: 5
Raja Ram Mohan Roy: his views on monotheism, science, social reform and education. Influence of Utilitarian thought. Brahmo Samaj. Young Bengal Movement.

UNIT-II

4. Social Reform Movements in the Second Half of 19th Century: 3
 - a. Ishwar Chandra Vidyasagar; Later Phase of Brahmo Samaj; Keshav Chandra Sen and his enlargement of the reformer's vision.
 - b. The reform movement in Maharashtra, Reform among Parsis.
 - c. The reform movement in South India: Veerasalingam, Narayan Guru.
5. Ideological Movements in Islam: 3
 - a. Wahhabi and Faraizi Movements. Factual background and nature of ideology.
6. The Orthodox responses to Modern trend and Christian impact on society: 5
 - a. Dayanand Sarasvati and the Arya Samaj.
 - b. Vivekananda and his re-interpretation of Hinduism.
 - c. Sir Syed Ahmad Khan's critique of traditional religious and social ideas.

UNIT-III

7. Modern Education: 5
 - a. Origin and growth of Modern Education, Resolution of 1835 and the 'Filtration theory', Wood's dispatch of 1854; development of Universities.
 - b. The Aligarh Movement, and the M.A.O., College.
8. Origin and Growth of Modern Literature: 5
 - a. Rise of Modern Bengali Literature to Bankim Chandra Chatterji.
 - b. Hindi-Harish Chandra.
 - c. Urdu-Ghalib and development of Urdu prose.
 - d. The press in English and Indian languages.
9. Growth of Nationalist Ideology: 5
Impact of Western thought, the earlier visions of India. Economic Nationalism; Dadabhai Naoroji. The moderate vision of India. The Early Phase of Tilak. Religious nationalism. Aurobindo Ghose.

Note: Candidates will be expected to attempt three questions, one from each unit.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

1. Ahmad, Qeyamuddin : *Wahabi Movement in India.*
2. Baumer, R.V.M. : *Aspects of Bengali History and Society*
3. Bhattacharjee, K.S. : *The Bengal Renaissance; Social and Political Thought.*
4. Desai, A.R. : *Social Background of Indian Socialism*
5. Farquhar, J.N. : *Modern Religious Movement in India*
6. Heimsath, Charles : *Indian Nationalism and Hindu Social Reform*
7. Hunter, W.W. : *The Indian Musalman*
8. Jones, K.W. : *Arya Dharma, Hindu Consciousness in 19th Century Punjab.*
9. Jones, K.W. : *Socio-Religious Movements in British India.*
10. Lelyveld, David : *Aligarh's First Generation; Muslim solidarity in British India.*
11. Majumdar, R.C., eds. : *British Paramountcy and Indian Renaissance, Pt.II*
12. Natrajan : *A Century of Social Reform*
13. Nurullah & Naik : *A Students History of Education.*
14. O. Malley eds. : *India and the West, A Study of the Interaction of their Civilization*
15. Poddar, Arbinda : *Renaissance in Bengal, Quests and Confrontations 1800-1860.*
16. Seal, Anil : *Emergence of Indian Nationalism*
17. Sinha, Pradip : *Nineteenth Century Bengal, Aspects of Social History.*
18. Smith, W.C. : *Modern Islam in India*
19. Stokes, Eric : *The English Utilitarianism and India*
20. Sarkar, Susobhan : *Bengal Renaissance and other Essays*
21. Tarachand : *History of Freedom Movement in India, Vol.II*
22. Wolpert, S.A. : *Tilak and Gokhale; Revolution and Reform in the Making of Modern India.*
23. Kirti Narain : *Press Politics and Society: Uttar Pradesh, 1885-1914.*
24. Sudhir Chandra : *The oppressive present: literature and social consciousness in colonial India.*
25. Bernard S. Cohn : *Colonialism and its Forms of knowledge, The British in India.*

HS-9033: ALIGARH MOVEMENT

Teacher: Dr. (Mrs.) Azra Alavi

No. of Lecturers = 40

UNIT-I

1. Traditional Muslim Education and Thought in the Early Phase of British Rule.
 - (a) Urdu and the coming of the printing press.
 - (b) Effects of mafi confiscations on traditional education.
2. (a) The 'Orientalists' and 'Anglicists'. Effects of the new Education Policy (1835) on Muslim Education.
 - (b) Impact of Bengal Renaissance in Upper India: extension of Anglo-Oriental education: The Delhi college and Agra College.
3. The Revolt of 1857 and its effects on Muslim Community and Education: The Hunter interpretation. The Zamindars and *Taluqdars* as major elite in U.P. in 1860s and later.

UNIT-II

4. Syed Ahmad Khan and his Ideas: Religious, Scientific and Educational.
5. The Aligarh Movement: its early phase. Scientific Society, M.A.O. College, Patriotic-Association Mohammadan Educational Conference.
6. Criticisms of Syed Ahmad Khan from the traditionalists and nationalists.

UNIT-III

7. The Two trends in M.A.O. College and Alumni till 1914: Loyalists and Nationalists; Pan-Islamic influences. The modernists and traditionalists. M.A.O. College and the Simla Deputation and Muslim League. The Congress and Pro-Turkish elements. Mohsinul Mulk; Ali brothers and Hasrat Mohani.
8. The agitation for a Muslim University. Aligarh and non-cooperation: The Jamia Split. The Act of 1920 and its impact on advancement of Muslim education.

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- Yusuf Husain Khan : *Selected Documents from the Aligarh Archives*, pp.6-11, 147-148.
Shan Muhammad : *The Aligarh Movement*, pp.368-380, 391-95, 406-410, 413-416, 461-465 785-788, 807-808, 836-841, 886-896, 911-913, 943-945, 993-995, 996-1002.
Zaidi, A.M. : *From Sir Syed to the Emergence of Jinnah*, pp.33-46; 62-64.
W.W. Hunter : *The Indian Musalmans*.

Note: Questions may be asked on quotations from above documents under appropriate Unit. Candidate will attempt three questions one from each Unit.

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- O'Malley : Modern India and the West.
Thompson & Garratt: Rise and Fulfilment of British Rule in India.
WC Smith : Modern Islam in India.
Hardy, P. : The Muslims in British India.
Ram Gopal : Indian Muslims, A Political History, 1858-1947.
M. Mujeeb : The Indian Muslims.
Aziz Ahmad : Studies in Islamic Culture in the Indian sub-Continent.
I.H. Qureshi : The Muslim community of the Indo Pakistan Sub-Continent.
Tara Chand : History of Freedom Movement in India, Vols. II & III.
K.A.Nizami : Sir Syed Ahmad Khan.
Shan Muhammad : Sir Syed Ahmad Khan – A Political Biography.
Mushir-ul Haq : Muslim Politics in Modern India, 1857-1947.
David Lelyyeld : Aligarh First Generation.
H.K. Sherwani : Aligarh Movement (Sir Syed Lecturers).
Nurullah & Naik : History of Education in India.
Shan Muhammad : Successors of Sir Syed Ahmad Khan
Shan Muhammad : Growth of Muslim Politics 1900-1919.
Altaf H. Hali : *Hayat-i Jawed, Eng. tr.* by K.H. Qadiri & David J. Mathews &
Eng.Tr. by R.A. Alavi.
Metcalf Thomas, R-: Land, Landlords, and the British Raj.
Tufail Ahmad : Towards a Common Destiny: A Nationalist Manifesto (transl.)
Nizami, K.A. : Sir Syed on Education, Society and Economy.
Nizami, K.A. : History of the Aligarh Muslim University.
Bhatnagar, S.K. : History of the M.A.O. College.
Rehmani Begum : Sir Syed Ahmad Khan – The Politics of Educational Reform.
Christian W. Troll : Syed Ahmad Khan
Graham, G.F., I. : The Life and Works of Syed Ahmad Khan, (London, 1885)
Mohsin-ul Mulk : Addresses and Speeches relating to Muhammadan Anglo-
Oriental College Aligarh 1875-1898, (Aligarh – 1898).
Shan Muhammad : Writings and Speeches of Sir Syed Ahmad Khan (Bombay 1972)
Shan Muhammad : The All India Muslim Educational Conference. (1886-1947)
Shan Muhammad : Education & Politics from Sir Syed to the Present Day.
-do- : Sir Syed “*Vision of India and its People*”.
Shahabuddin Iraqi (ed.): Sir Syed “*Vision and Mission*”.

HS-9034: WORKIGN CLASS MOVEMENT TILL 1947

Teacher: Dr. Ishrat Alam

No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

1. Genesis and Growth of the Working Class: Advent of Railways; Textile Industry, Coal Mining, Iron Industry, Tea and Indigo Plantations. Mode of recruitment. Conditions of work and life. Composition of the Working Class; Caste, religion. Early class consciousness. 06
2. Early Legislations relating to the Working Class: The Factory Acts of 1881 and 1891, Plantation Labour and the Inland Emigration Act, 1882, The Indian Mines Act 1901, The Assam Labour and Emigration Act, 1901. the Madras Planter's Labour Act, 1901, G.I.P. Railways Signaller's Strike and its significance. 05
3. The Rise of the Working Class Movement till 1914: Working men's club, 1870, Brahmo Samaj and Working class; N.M. Lokhunday and working class; Working class and the Swadeshi Movement. Political Strikes of Workers. 03

UNIT-II

4. Evolution of Indian Trade Unionism: Organization and leadership of trade Unions; Madras Labour Union 1918; Gandhiji and the Ahmadabad Textile Labour Association. Other Trade Unions; Foundation of all India Trade Union Congress (1920). 05
5. Working Class Movement between Two Wars: AITUC. Defensive approach 1922-26; extension of struggle 1926-29; Split in the organization and imperialist onslaught (1929-31); Political awakening and domination of the Left in Working Class Movement; Anti Labour Legislations. Trade Disputes Act, 1928; The Meerut Conspiracy Case. Splits in AITUC. Formation of Indian trade Union Federation and Red Trade Union Congress. Working Class Recovery after Meerut trial. 08

UNIT-III

6. Recession in World Economy and the Working Class: Condition of the Working Class and its response to World economic crisis; Pre-War upsurge; struggle during Provincial autonomy on the eve of Second World War. Struggles; Bombay Industrial Disputes Act and its Consequences. 07
7. The Working Class Movement from the Second World War to Independence: Economic consequences of Second World War and the condition of Working class; Fresh upsurge of workers' struggles; Imperialist offensive against working class; Nationwide upsurge. Formation of Indian National Trade Union Congress and polarization of Trade Uwonism. 06

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2. “ “ “ : *Labour Movement in India, Documents: 1918-1920*, New Delhi Bombay, 1988, pp.1; 16-17; 19-30; 45-69; 311-370.
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4. G. Adhikari (ed.) : *Documents of the History of the Communist Party of India, Vol. II(1923-1925)*, New Delhi, 1947, pp.114-128; 133-134; 533-541.
5. –do- : Vol. III A-926, pp.162-176; Vol. III B-1927, pp.250-265.

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| Bipan Chandra | : | <i>Nationalism and colonialism in Modern India</i> , Delhi, 1972. |
| Bipan Chandra | : | <i>The Rise and Growth of Economic nationalism in India, Economic Policies of Indian national Leadership 1880-1905</i> , New Delhi, 1982. |
| Bipan Chandra & M. Mukherjee (ed.) | : | <i>India's Struggle for Independence</i> , 1987. |
| Jurgen Kuczynski | : | <i>A Short History of Labour conditions under Industrial Capitalism. The British Empire 1800 to the Present Day</i> , London, 1945, chapter I, pp.25-49. (Also published in V.B. Singh, <i>Economic History of India, 1850-1950</i>). |
| Sukomal Sen | : | <i>Working class of India. History of Emergence and Movement 1830-1970</i> , Calcutta, 1977. |
| Rakhahari Chatterji | : | <i>Working Class and the Nationalist Movement in India: the Critical Years</i> , Delhi, 1984. |
| Dilip Simeon | : | <i>Politics of Labour under late Colonialism: Workers, Unions and the State in Chhota Nagpur 1928-1939</i> . |
| Vinay Bahl | : | <i>Making of the Indian Working class: A Case of the Tata Iron and Steel Company 1880-1946</i> . |
| Sunil Kumar Sen | : | <i>Working Class Movements in India, 1885-1975</i> , OUP, Delhi, 1994. |
| Ranajit Das Gupta | : | <i>Labour and Working Class in Eastern India, Studies in Colonial History</i> , Calcutta, 1994. |

- Sukhbir Chaudhary : *Peasant and Workers Movement in India (1905-1929)*.
- D.H. Buchanan : *The Development of Capitalistic Enterprise in India, London, 1966.*
- Radhakamal Mukherjee : *The Indian Working Class.*
- Morris D. Morris : *The Emergence of an Industrial Labour Force in India-A Study of Bombay Cotton Mills, 1854-1947, Bombay, 1968.*
- Partha Sarathi Gupta : *Imperialism and the British Labour Movement, 1914-1964, Madras, 1975.*
- Dipesh Chakrabarty : *Rethinking Working Class, Delhi, 1988.*
- R. Chandavarkar : *Imperial Power and the Popular Political: Class, Resistance and the State in India, Cambridge, 1988.*

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- Dipesh Chakrabarty : "Conditions for knowledge of working class Conditions: Employers, Government and the Jute Workers of Calcutta 1890", in *Subaltern Studies Writing on South Asian History and Society*, (ed.) Rajajit Guha, 11, Delhi, pp.259-310.
- do----- : "Trade Unions in a Hierarchical Cultures the Jute Workers of Calcutta 1920-50", *Subaltern Studies*, 111, pp.116-152.
- S. Bhattacharya : "The Colonial Working Class and the Anti Imperialist Struggle". *The Historical Review*, Vol.XIII, 1985-86, pp.266-280.
- Shireen Moosvi : "De-industrialization, Population Change and Migration in Nineteenth Century India", *the Indian Historical Review*, Vol.XVI, 1989-1990, pp.149-162.
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- Baniprasanna Misra : "Factory Labour during the Early Years of Industrialization: An Appraisal in the Light of the Indian Factory Commission, 1890", *1ESHR*, Vol.XII, Nop.3, pp.203-228.

HSM-9035: INDIA SINCE INDEPENDENCE: SOCIETY, CULTURE AND ECONOMY, 1947-1991

Teacher: Dr. M. Sajjad

No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

India At the Time of Independence:

1. Partition and its consequences; the Rise of Communalism; Caste and Untouchability; Constitution of India; Towards the creation of a Sovereign, Socialist and Secular State.
2. Indian Economy in 1947: State of Industries; Crisis of Capital Scarcity; Agrarian Dependence; Poverty and Unemployment; Economic & Financial relations with U.K. (and the developed world).

UNIT-II

India As a Socialist and Secular State (c. 1948-1980):

3. Economic Development under the Five Year Plans: Industrial and Agricultural Development in planned economy & Green Revolution; Development of Public sector industries; the private sector in mixed economy; Assessment of Nehruvian Model of development.
4. Towards a Secular and Composite Model of Social Development: Nehruvian Secularism as a state policy; the Indian nation in mass media; state educational policy.

UNIT-III

Towards Liberalization and the Creation of a New Social Order, 1980-91.

5. Liberalization of the Indian Economy: Factors; Role of MNCs, Export of Capital; Social and economic consequences; Impact of liberalization on gender and women.
6. Resurgence of Religious Fundamentalism: Factors; the resurgence of Hindutva forces; minority communalism; education in traditional institutions (madrasas and Shishu Mandirs), shifts in caste and communal identities; caste-based movements for social justice and equality.

***Note:** There will be three questions, One from each Unit.*

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

1. Bipan Chandra et al : India After Independence, Penguin, Delhi, 1999.

2. Achin Vanaik : Communalism Contested: Religion, Modernity and Secularization, Delhi, 1997.
3. -do- : Painful Transition: Bourgeois Democracy in India, Verso, London, 1987.
4. Rudolph & Rudolph : In Pursuit of Lakshmi: The Political Economy of the Indian State, Chicago, 1987.(Selected Chapters)
5. Rudolph & Rudolph (ed.) : Education & Politics in India: Studies in Organization, Society and Policy, OUP, Delhi, 1972.
6. David Ludden (ed.) : Making India Hindu
7. Rajeev Bharjav & Herman Kulke : Civil Society, Citizenship & Public Sphere In India
8. Gurpreet Mahajan : Civil Society & Public Sphere in India.
9. Jan-Peter Hartung & H. Reifield (ed.) : Islamic Education, Diversity & National Identity.
10. Kum Kum Sangari (ed.) : Recasting Women (Relevant Chapters)
11. Akbar S. Ahmad : Bombay films: The Cinema as Metaphor for Indian Society and Politics, *Modern Asian Studies*, 26, 2, 1992.
12. Jyotika Virdi : Cinematic ImagiNation.
13. Krishna Kumar : Political Agenda of Education (pp.186-203)
14. Jean Derezé & Amartya Sen : India: Economic Development & Social Opportunity, Delhi, 1996.
15. Mushirul Hasan : Legacy of a Divided Nation: India's Muslims since Independence.
16. C. Jaffrelot (ed.) : The Sangh Pariwar, OUP, Delhi 2005.
17. -do- : India's Silent Revolution.
18. Francine R. Frankel : India's Political Economy, 1947-1997.
19. Ram Chandra Guha : India After Gandhi
20. S.C.Dube (ed.) : India Since Independence: Social Report on India 1947-72, [Vikas, Delhi, 1977]
21. M. S. Agwani : Islamic Fundamentalism in India [Chandigarh-1985)
22. V. Dalmia & Stietencorn (ed.): Representing Hinduism (Sage, Delhi, 1995).
23. Andre Beteille : Society & Politics in India: Essays in a Comparative Perspective OUP, 1997.
24. Susan Bayly : The New Cambridge History of India, IV.3, Caste, Society and Politics, (Cambridge, 1999).

HS-9020: SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC HISTORY OF ISLAM-7TH CENTURY TO 12TH CENTURY

Teacher: Dr. Iqbal Sabir

No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

12

1. The Geographical position of Arabian Peninsula:
Climate; the Desert economy: Vegetation and cattle breeding; Vegetarian and agricultural products; the oases of Hejaz, Taif, Yamen and Hazramaut and their products.
2. Society in Pre-Islamic Arabia:
Bedouin Life; Tribal organization; Position of Women. Slavery and its position in Arab Society and Economy.
3. Trade and Commerce:
The Meccan Trade, its nature and volume; Arabia's position in contemporary international commerce.

UNIT-II

14

4. The Rise of Islam and its Social and Economic Impact:
Emergency of a Community (*Ummah*); Muslim brotherhood and struggle against tribal affiliations (*Asabiyat*); Fight against social evils; Position of Women; Discouragement of slavery; measures to alleviate poverty from among the believers; Abolition of usury.
5. Expansion of the Empire under the Pious Caliphs and its Social and Economic Implications:
Diversion of Arabs from trade and commerce to soldiery and agriculture; Pouring in of *Ghanimah* and economic revolution in Arabia; Beginning of social stratification among the Muslims; Set back to abolition of slavery. Tax structure under the Pious caliphs.
6. Society and Social Changes under the Umayyads:
The emergence and dominance of pure Arab aristocracy; improvement in the position and role of the *Zimmis* and the women; Discrimination against non-Arab Muslims; Revival of tribal jealousies and fighting among the Arabs.

UNIT-III

14

7. The Abbasid Revolution and its Social Consequences:
End of pure Arab aristocracy; Pre-dominance of the Persian elements; spread of education and learning; Schismatic division in society; Rise of Turkish slave ruling class.
8. Economy under the Umayyads and the Abbasids:

- Development of agriculture; Taxation system; Revenue administration.
9. Growth of Trade, Commerce and Industry:
Factors responsible for growth; exports and imports; Arts and crafts. Role of the Muslims in contemporizing maritime trade.

Note: There will be three questions, one from each Unit.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

P.K. Hitti	:	<i>History of the Arabs.</i>
Bernard Lewis	:	<i>Arabs in History.</i>
Amir Ali	:	<i>The Spirit of Islam.</i>
P. Levy	:	<i>The Social Structure of Islam.</i>
Mez, Adem	:	<i>The Renaissance of Islam.</i>
Von Kramer	:	<i>Contribution to Islamic Civilization.</i>
N. Aghnides	:	<i>Muhammadian Theories of Finance.</i>
Le Strange	:	<i>Land of the Eastern Caliphate.</i>
Lambton	:	<i>Landlord and Peasants in Persia.</i>
D.S. Margoliouth	:	<i>Mohammad and the Rise of Islam</i>
A.L. Shaban	:	<i>The Abbasid Revolution (Relevant Partion)</i>
Yasin Mazhar Siddiqui	:	<i>Organsation of Government under the Prophet.</i>
Robert Simon	:	<i>Meccan Trade and Islam.</i>
P. Lokkegaard	:	<i>Islamic Taxation in the Classical Period.</i>
Patricia Crone	:	<i>Meccan Trade and the Rise of Islam.</i>
Dennett	:	<i>Poll Tax and Conversion in early Islam.</i>

HSM-9040: THE ARABS IN SPAIN

Teacher: Dr. S. Bashir Hasan

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

1. *Spain on the Eve of Arab Conquest:*
The political and social conditions of Spain on the eve of Arab conquest.
2. *Arab Conquest of the Iberian Peninsula:*
Tariq's campaign, the Battle of Wadi Lakko and the defeat of Visigoths, Musa bin Nusayr's conquest, causes and effects of the Arab conquest.
3. *The Dependent Emirate (714-756 A.D.):*
Andalus as a province of the Umayyad Caliphate, Organisation of the province under governors, Relations between Cordova and Qayrawan, Arab and Berber settlements in Spain, internal tensions within the province, Battle of Poitiers and its significance.

UNIT-II

4. *The Independent Umayyad Emirate (756-929 A.D.):*
The establishment of the Emirate, Abdal-Rahman al-Dakhil's achievements and failures. Hisham I, Hakam I, Abdal-Rahman II, Muhammed I, The crisis of the Emirate.
5. *The Umayyad caliphate of Spain (929-1031):*
Umayyad Spain at its zenith, Abdal-Rahman III, Hakam II, Hajib al-Mansur, causes of the decline.
6. *Causes of the Downfall of Moorish Power in Spain:*
The tribal, administrative, economic and geographical factors. Increasing animosity towards the "Moors".

UNIT-III

7. *The Administrative Organisation of Arab Spain:*
The Amir, The Khalifah, Wizarat, Khuttah, Offices. Provincial government, revenue and army organization, justice.
8. *Economy and Cultural Achievements:*
Agriculture and trade; Intellectual contribution.
9. *Art and Architecture:*
Minor Arts, Ceramics-Textiles, Ivories, Architecture, Alhamra, Music, Cultural impact on Europe.

Books Recommended:

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| Louis Bertrand | - The History of Spain |
| A Castro | - The Structure of Spanish History |
| Reinhart Dozy | - Spanish Islam: A History of the Moslems in Spain |
| W. Montgomery Watt | - A History of Islamic Spain |

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| S.M. Imamuddin | - A Political History of Muslim Spain |
| P.K. Hitti | - History of the Arabs (Part IV) |
| R.A. Nicholson | - Literary History of the Arabs |
| Hamilton Gibbs | - An Introduction to Arabic Literature, Oxford 1963,
pp.108-117, 136-141 |
| The Encyclopaedia of Islam (Relevant Articles) | |
| S. Ameer Ali | - A Short History of the Saracens, Chapters XXVI-
XXXI. |

M.A. Fourth Semester

HS-XOO1: EUROPEAN FEUDALISM

Teacher: Dr. M. Waseem Raja

No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

14

1. Feudalism: Definition and Scope.
2. Genesis and Growth of Feudalism; Crisis and Decline of the Roman Empire- Crisis of slave mode of production; change in the status of *colonial* and dependent peasant tenants; economic crisis facing the Roman Empire; emergence of Germanic tribes and its impact on independent peasants.
3. Emergence of Vassalage and Fief systems: The explanations of Henry Pirenne, March Bloch and Lynn White Jr. Fiefs' transformation into patrimony of the vassal; Manor and Serfdom.

UNIT-II

14

4. The Nobles as a 'Defacto Class'; Gradation of power and rank.
5. Traditional Powers: Kingdoms and Empire: Geographical Distribution of Monarchies; Transformation from Territorial Principalities to Castellannies.
6. Reconstruction of states and the Medieval Monarchy: The Capetians: Holy Roman Empire. Anglo-Norman Monarchy – conquest and Germanic survivals; Nationalities.

UNIT-III

12

7. Feudal Society and Economy in Western Europe in 13th and 14th Centuries; Explanations of "Feudal Crisis" Rise of Towns, and Burghers. New Agrarian relations. Emergence of Trade and Commerce; The Nation-state. Mercantilism; Rise of Universal colonial system.
8. Problems of interpreting the Transition period, 16th – 18th centuries; The Nature of Feudal Reaction.
9. The rise of new agricultural and craft technology and its impact; The emergence of bourgeois' political regimes (Constitutional and Democratic); Theories of Social Contract: English Political Developments, The French Revolution; Italy, Germany, North Western Spain.

Note: There will be three questions, one from each Unit.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

Rodney Hilton, ed. : *The Transition from Feudalism to Capitalism*, London, 1976
(Paul Sweezy, M. Dobb, Takahashi etc.)

Perry Anderson, : *Passages from Antiquity to Feudalism*, 2nd edition, London, 1975.

„ „ *Lineages of the Absolutist State*, London, 1974. *Oxford History of the Classical World*.

Joachim Hermann and Erick Zurcher, ed. *UNESCO History of Humanity: From Seventh century BC to Seventeen Century AD*, Vol. III.

P.A. Brunt, : *Social Conflicts in the Roman Republic*.

M.I. Finley : *The Ancient Economy*, London, 1972.

D. Dudley : *Roman Society*.

Marc Bloch, : *Feudal Society*, London, 1961.

Marc Bloch : *French Rural History*, London, 1966.

Henri Pirenne : *Economic and Social History of Medieval Europe*, London, 1949.

Lynn White Jr. : *Medieval Technology and Social Change*, London, 1964.

HSM-XOO2: COLONIALISM AND SOCIALIST SOCIETIES

Teacher: Professor Shireen Moosvi

No. of Lectures: 40

UNIT I

COLONIALISM

14

The mercantilist phase of British colonialism in the 18th century: India, Slave Trade and West Indies. The theory of Tribute.

“Imperialism of Free Trade” in the 19th century. Lenin’s theory of Imperialism. Rosa Luxemburg’s theory of relationship between capital accumulation and non-capitalist economies.

“Destructive” and “Regenerating” roles of colonialism.

Factors behind national liberation.

UNIT II

NEO-COLONIALISM AND THE THEORIES OF SOCIALISM

13

‘Neo-colonialism, “Unequal exchange” and unevenness of capitalist development. Problems of development of the Third World: Post-Independence economic growth of India.

End of Cold War and “Globalization” of capital. Major instruments of control: IMF, World Bank, WTO. US dominance: Its economic and political manifestations. Globalisation and the present difficulties of capitalism.

The ‘pre-Socialist’ visions of Socialism: ‘Utopian’ Socialists. Marx’s and Engels’s view of post capitalist society. Stages of ‘Socialism’ and ‘Communism’.

UNIT III

SOCIALISM IN PRACTICE

13

Socialist construction in USSR: State-owned industry; agricultural collectivization; planned economy. Problems of management and distribution. Pricing system. Role of the State.

Nature of Chinese Revolution: Mao Zedong’s theory of “contradictions” in socialist societies. “Cultural Revolution”, and its aftermath.

Problems of socialist economies. Factors behind the collapse of Socialism in Russia and Eastern Europe. Possibilities of a “Commodity Socialism” as alternative to capitalist restoration. The experience of China in the current phase.

NOTE: THERE WILL BE THREE QUESTIONS, ONE FROM EACH UNIT.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

Karl Marx : ‘British Rule in India’, ‘Future Results of British Rule in India’ (articles of 1853, published in various collections).

- Gunder Frank : *Dependent Accumulation and Underdevelopment*.
- Gallagher and Robinson : 'The Imperialism of Free Trade' (essay), in G.L. Shaw, (ed.) *Great Britain and the Colonies, 1815-65*, London, 1970, pp.142-163.
- V.I. Lenin : *Imperialism, the Highest Stage of Capitalism*.
- Ellen Meiksins Wood : *The Empire of Capital*.
- F.M. Taylor & B.E. Oskar Lange: *On the Economic Theory of Socialism*, ed. B.E. Lippincott.
- Marx : *Critique of the Gotha Programme*.
- Stalin : *Problems of Socialism in the USSR*
- Mao Zedong : 'On the Correct Handling of contradictions among the Chinese People', and 'The Ten Great Relationships' in *Selected Works of Mao Tse-tung*, Vol.V.
- Mao Tse-Tung (ed. Schwarts): *Mao Tse-tung Unrehearsed* Selected portions.
- M. Dobb : *Soviet Economic Development since 1917*.
- Angus Madison : *The World Economy - a Millennial Perspective*, Chapter 3: 'The World Economy in the Second Half of the Twentieth Century'.
- Shireen Moosvi (ed.) : *Capitalism, Colonialism and Globalization – Studies in Economic Change*.
- Irfan Habib : 'The Marxian theory of Socialism and the Experience of Socialist Societies', *Social Scientist*, No.240-41.
- Irfan Habib : 'Capital Accumulation and the Exploitation of the Unequal World', *Social Scientist*, Vol.31 (Nos.3-4), 2003.
- Shireen Moosvi : 'Capitalism and Crises', Beijing Forum, 2009 (mimeographed).

HS-XOO3: MODERN ASIA, 1919-1991

Teacher: Mr. M.K. Zaman

Total No. of Lectures: 40

UNIT – I

14

1. CHINA 1919-1991:
The Kuomintang, Dr. Sun Yat Sen & Chiang Kai Shek.
May 4th Movement and the Rise of the Community Party.
Northern Expedition: Civil war, Long March.
Communist Victory, 1949.
China under Mao zedong: Reconstruction.
The transition to socialism: The First Five Year Plan.
The hundred flowers Campaign; The Great Leap forward; The Cultural Revolution.
The post-Mao Era; Return of Deng Xiaoping.
Tiananmen square, 1989 and the Crisis of Communism.
2. Japan:
Japan at the end of World War I.
Militarization of Japan.
Japan and II World War: Pearl Harbour;
Battle of Mid-Way Island. Atomic bombings of Hiroshima and Nagasaki.
Occupation of Japan: Surrender; disarmament:
Liberalization & Democratization; End of occupation.
Post-occupation Japan: Economy & Foreign Relations.

UNIT – II

13

3. Post-War Conflicts in Asia:
Nationalism and Communism in South-East Asia
Korean War 1950—53. Division of Korea.
The origins of American involvement in Vietnam. Escalation. Nature of the Vietnam Conflict. Vietnamization. End of US involvement.
International consequences of the Vietnam War.
4. Conflict in the Middle – East:
Creation of Israel, Arab-Israeli conflicts.
The Suez War of 1956 – Cold War Politics in Middle East & the 1967 War: Stalemate.
Palestine Liberation Organization: Leadership by Yasser Arafat
Anwar Sadat & the 1973 War: Truce
Camp David & the Egyptian – Israeli Peace 1978-9.
Intifada and the peace process

UNIT – III

13

5. Iranian Revolution:
Pre-Revolutionary Conditions inside Iran
Early protests. The Escalation of Protests

Over throw of the Shah and the fall of the Pahlavi dynasty.
 Khomeini takes power. Post-revolutionary impact.
 The Iran – Iraq War, 1980-88.

6. India Since Independence:
 Land Reforms: Zamindari abolition and Tenancy Reforms; Bhoodan Movement;
 Green Revolution.
 Industrial Development: The Five-year Plans; Expansion of the public sector;
 Liberalisation and Privatisation since 1980s.
 Foreign Policy: Panchsheel; N.A.M.; Relations with USSR;
 Unilateral World Order and India's Foreign Policy.

Note: There will be three questions, one from each Unit.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

1. Hobsbawm; Eric : *Age of Extremes: The short 20th Century 1914-1991.*
2. William R. Keylor : *The Twentieth Century World: An international history.*
3. J.M. Roberts : *Twentieth Century: The History of the World 1901 to 2000.*
4. Thomson, David : *Europe Since Napoleon.*
5. Vinacke, H.M. : *History of the Far East in Modern Times.*
6. Chesneaux, Jean : *China from the 1911 revolution to liberation.*
 & others
7. C.P. Fitz Gerald : *A concise History of East Asia.*
8. Crofts & Buchanan : *A History of the Far East.*
9. Ed. By Jon Livingston, et.al: *The Japan Reader Vol.2, Post War Japan 1945 to the Present*
10. Janet E. Hunter : *The Emergence of Modern Japan.*
11. Brown, D.M. : *Nationalism in Japan.*
12. Stone, I. : *Korean War, 1950-53.*
13. Michael Keon : *Korean Phoenix.*
14. Clive J. Christie : *Ideology and Revolution in Southeast Asia 1900-1980.*
15. The Cambridge History of South-East Asia Vol.2.
16. B.S.N. Murti : *Vietnam Divided.*
17. Armajani & Ricks : *The Middle-East-Past and Present.*
18. Richard Allen : *Imperialism and Nationalism in the Fertile Crescent.*
19. Schwadran, Benjamin: *The Middle-East-Oil and the great powers.*
20. William L. Cleveland : *A History of the Modern Middle East.*
21. Arthur Gold Schmidt, Jr.: *A concise History of the Middle East.*
22. Ilan Pappé : *A History of Modern Palestine.*
23. Clinton Bailey : *Jordan's Palestinian Challenge 1948-1983.*
24. Cambridge History of Iran Vol.7.
25. Achin Vanaik : *Communalism Contested.*
26. Bipan Chandra, et.al. : *India after independence.*

27. Ayesha Jalal : *Modern South Asia.*
28. Judith Brown : *Modern India.*

HS-XO26: NON-MUSLIM RELIGIOUS THOUGHT AND MOVEMENTS IN MEDIEVAL INDIA

Teacher: Dr. Sumbul Halim Khan

No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

14

1. Early Religious thought in India:
 - a. Evolution of the 'Bhagavata' (Bhakti) Cult.
 - b. Shankaracharya and Ramanuja
2. Brahmanical Sects and development of Vaishnavism
 - a. Growth of popular Vaishnava Sects;
 - b. The Esoteric Cults – the Siddhas; the Yogis; the Lingayats.
3. Maharashtra Dharma:
Its social and political significance; division into Varkari and Dharkari Sections; Preachings of Namdev, Tukaram and Ramdas.

UNIT-II

13

4. Chaitanya Movement:
Social and religious significance of the Movement; life and teachings of Chaitanya; the Goswamis and their theological and literary contributions.
5. Bhakti Movement:
Transmission of Bhakti thought to the North, Ramanand.
6. Radical Monotheistic Tradition:
 - a. Kabir: Sources and content of his thought; his social outlook; formation and development of Kabir-panth.
 - b. Social Revolt, Krishna Bhakti and Mirabai.

UNIT-III

13

7. Sikhism:
 - a. Nanak: his social out-look; formation of Sikhism.
 - b. Guru Arjan: his compilation of Guru Granth; its salient features; evolution of politics and armed resistance.
8. Other Monotheistic Sects:
 - a. Dadu and Dadupanth; emergence of Nagas as militant force.
 - b. The Satnami Sect and the Pranami Sect.
9. The Vaishnava Revivalist Movement:
 - a. Tulsidas: his life and efforts for revivalism; 'Ramcharitmanas' and its social impact.
 - b. Nabhasdas: historical significance of his 'Bhaktmala'.
 - c. Impact of Bhakti Movement on Medieval Literature.

DOCUMENTS

- (i) The *Ain-i-Akbari*, English tr. by H.S. Jarrett, Vol, III, edition III, 1948, pp.172-9.
- (ii) Following texts from the Guru Granth Sahib (Eng. tr. by M.A. Macauliffe, 'The Sikh Religion', Delhi, 1963). Macauliffe, Vol. VI.

A. Namdev	: <i>Gauri</i> (pp.40-41); <i>Asa</i> II & III (pp.42-43), <i>Tilang</i> II (p.53); <i>Gaund</i> VII & VIII, (pp.57-58). Unit-I
B. Kabir	: <i>Gauri</i> IV & V; VIII (pp-145-46); XXX p.156); XLII (p.161); LXVII (p.177). <i>Asa</i> , XVII (pp.204-05); XXIX (pp.211-12); <i>Prabhati</i> II & IV (pp. 276-77); <i>Vaudeville</i> , Kabir vol. I, Oxford, 1974, <i>Sakhis</i> 34-43 (pp. 185-87); 1-12 (pp.255-57). Unit-II
C. Dhanna	: <i>Asa</i> , p.109. Unit-II, Macauliffe, Vol. I:
D. Nanak	: <i>Japji</i> V & VI (pp. 198-99), XXI & XXII (pp.206-7). <i>Asa Ki War</i> , <i>Sloks</i> VI (pp.225-26); IX (pp.229-30), XI (pp.232-33); and <i>Rag Gauri hymns</i> (pp.290-96). Unit-III
(iii) Dadu	: (Following verses from his selected and translated text in <i>A Sixteenth Century Mystic</i> by W.G. Orr, London, 1974). Unit-III
Sakhis	: <i>The Divine Guru</i> , pp.84-86; <i>The Truth</i> , pp.91-92. <i>The Sadhus Robe</i> , pp.103-104.
Padas	: <i>The Four Watches</i> , pp.108-111; <i>Worship</i> , pp.125-26.

Note: There will be three questions one from each Unit. At least one out of these questions may be set on quotations from the documents under the relevant Unit.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

Sumita Pande	: <i>Birth of Bhakti in Indian Religions & Art.</i>
B.K. Goswami	: <i>The Bhakti cult in Ancient India.</i>
R.N. Vyas	: <i>The Bhagavata Bhakti Cult and three Advaita Acharyas.</i>
Aiyar, Aiyangar T.	: <i>Three Great Acharyas</i> (Shankara, Ramanuja & Rajagopalacharya & Madhava)
C.V. Narayan Ayyar	: <i>Origin and Early History of Saivism.</i>
Chingiz. Vaudeville	: <i>Kabir</i> (Vol. I).
C.H. Westcott	: <i>Kabir and the Kabir Panth.</i>
F.E. Keay	: <i>Kabir and his Followers.</i>
W.G. Orr	: <i>A Sixteenth Century Mystic.</i>
D.C. Sen	: <i>Chaitanya and His Age.</i>
Jadunath Sarkar	: <i>Chaitanya's Life and Teachings.</i>
M.T. Kennedy	: <i>The Chaitanya Movement.</i>
Gurbachan Singh & others	: <i>Guru Nanak, his personality and Vision.</i>
Fauja Singh	: <i>Sikhism.</i>
G.S. Grewal	: <i>Guru Nanak in History.</i>
W.H. McLeod	: <i>Guru Nanak and the Sikh Religion.</i>
Sher Singh	: <i>Philosophy of Sikhism.</i>
C.K. Handoo	: <i>Tulsidas (Poet, Saint and Philosopher of the sixteenth Century)</i> , 1964.

- Haridas Bhattacharya : *The Cultural Heritage of India* (New Series), Vol. III, Pt. II & III; vol. IV, Pt., I & II.
- H.H.Wilson : *Religious Sects of the Hindus.*
- D.R. Bhandarkar : *Vaishnavism, Shaivism and other Minor Sects.*
- Tara Chand : *Influence of Islam on Indian Culture.*
- Yusuf Husain : *Glimpses of Medieval Indian Culture.*
- Aziz Ahmad : *Studies in Islamic Culture in the Indian Environment*, Parts IV & V.
- J.C. Oman : *The Mystics, Ascetics, and Saints of India.* The Saints of Northern India (From Ramananda to Ram Tirath).
- J.N. Farguhar : *An Outline of the Religious Literature of India.*
- S. Iraqi : *Bhakti Movement in Medieval India: Social & Political Perspectives*
- ARTICLES:**
- P.V. Ranade : 'Feudal Content of Maharashtra Dharma', *IHR*, 1974, pp.44-50.
- G.S. Grewal : 'Guru Nanak: Some of his key concepts (Article No.58 in the Departmental Library).
- G. Grierson : 'Tulsidas, Poet and Religious Reformer', *JRAS*, 1903.
- do- : 'Gleanings on the Bhaktmala' *JRAS*, 1909, 1910.
- Irfan Habib : 'Medieval Popular Monotheism and its Humanism: The Historical Setting', *Social Scientist*, Vol. 21, Nos. 3-4, March-April 1993.
- S. Iraqi : 'Historical and Religious Dimensions of Dadupanthi Sources' *Islamic Culture*, Vol. LXXI, No.3, July 1997, pp.37-66.
- do- : 'The Satnami Sect of Narnaul' , *U.P. Historical Review*, Vol. I, 1982.
- do- : 'Historical Importance of the Literature of Pranami Sect', *Islamic Culture*, Vol. LXXV, No.4, October, 2001, pp.97-104.

HSM-X011: ARCHAEOLOGICAL METHOD

Teacher: Dr. Jaya Menon

No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

14

I Field Techniques

1. Exploration

- (a) Aerial Photography
- (b) Geophysical surveys
- (c) Ground Survey: quadrates or transects
- (d) Sampling strategic
- (e) Tools for surveying and recording

2. Excavation

- (a) Vertical, horizontal, area-, and quadrant excavation
- (b) Principles of Stratigraphy and the Harris Matrix
- (c) Recovery of materials: sieving, flotation
- (d) Recording of data: the written record, the drawn record, photography

UNIT-II

13

II The Artefactual Record: Preservation and conservation

1. Techniques of dating

- (a) Relative: Seriation/typology, stratigraphy, cross-dating, F-U-N.
- (b) Chronometric/absolute: Radiocarbon, dendrochronology, Potassium-Argon, Fission-Track, Uranium-Thorium, thermoluminescence

2. Preservation and conservation of sites and antiquities.

3. Laboratory analyses

UNIT-III

13

III The Artefactual Record: Collation and Interpretation

1. Classification: Type in archaeology, etic/emic concerns

2. Interpretation:

- (a) Ancient ecology
- (b) Subsistence strategies
- (c) Exchange networks
- (d) Society
- (e) Ideology and belief systems

3. Report writing

Note: *There will be three questions, one from each unit.*

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

Agrawal, D.P. *Dating the Human Past*, Pune, 1995.

Balme, J. & A. Paterson (ed.). *Archaeology in Practice*, Oxford, 2006.

Clarke, D.L. *Analytical Archaeology*, New York, 1978.

- Deetz, J. *Invitation to Archaeology*, New York, 1967.
- Drewett, P.L. *Field Archaeology*, London & New York, 1999.
- Ellis, L. ed. *Encyclopaedia of Archaeological Method and Theory*.
- Gamble, C. *Archaeology. The Basics*, London 2001.
- Greene, K. *Archaeology, An Introduction*. New Jersey. 1983.
- Kipfer, B.A. *The Archaeologist's Fieldwork Companion*, Oxford, 2009.
- Renfrew, C. and P. Bahn, *Archaeology: Theories, Methods and Practice*, London, 2004.
- Wheeler, R.E.M. *Archaeology from the Earth*. Middlesex, 1954.

HSM-XO12: SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC HISTORY OF INDIA (7TH-12TH C.A.D.)

Teacher: Dr. Rashmi Upadhyaya

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

14

Sources: Inscriptions; Coins; Literature.

1. Agrarian Economy and Society:
 - (i) Agricultural and irrigational techniques. Landrights and rural stratification. "Village Community". Serfdom: nature and extent.
 - (ii) Land-Tax and other fiscal claims.
 - (iii) "Indian Feudalism" :Theories of R.S.Sharma,D.D.Kosambi and others.

UNIT-II

13

2. Hierarchy and status of superior rightholders in Northern India., "Segmentary State" and "Peasant Society" in South India (Burton Stein and his critics).
3. "De-urbanisation" debate; the concept of IIIrd Urbanisation.
4. Foreign trade and internal commerce.

UNIT-III

13

5. Caste-system: Sastric view and actual conditions. Slavery.
6. Changes in aristocratic customs: inter-caste marriage, widow remarriage, *sati*.
7. The evolution of the *Rajaputra* caste.

DOCUMENTS

1. (i) Merchant Sulaiman, 'Silsila-ut-Tawarikh' trans. Elliot & Dowson, Vol. I. p.5-7. Unit-I & II
(ii) Abu Zaid, Elliot & Dowson, p.11. Unit-I & II
2. Huien Tsiang, *Si-yu-ki*, trans. Samuel beal, *Buddhist Records of the Western World*, vol. I, pp.69-90 (Book II, Section 1-18). Unit-I & II
3. *Chachnama*, translated in Elliot & Dowson, I, pp.150-51, 181-188. Unit-I & II
4. Kalhana's *Rajatarangini*, translated by M.A. Stein, I, pp.2-3 (paras 6-15); 127-128 (paras 82-92); 270 (paras 1460-62); II, pp.8 (para 82); 31 (paras 363-68): 180 (paras 2334-38). Unit-I & II
5. *Alberuni's India* tr. Edward Sachau, I, pp.99-110. Unit-I & II
6. *Translation of Lekhapaddhati documents by Dr. Pushpa Prasad in Indian Historical Review*, XV (1-2), pp.271-75. Unit-I & II

Note: There will be three questions, one from each Unit, and one requiring comments on passages from the Documents.

BOOKS RECOMMEND:

- B.D. Chattopadhyay : *The Making of Early Medieval India.*
B.N.S. Yadava : *Society and culture in Northern India* (chapter I, III, V., and VIth)
B.P. Mazumdar : *The Socio-Economic History of Northern India.*
Brijnarain Sharma : *Social Life in Northern India.*
Burton Stein : *Peasant State and Society in Early Medieval South India.*
D.C. Sircar (ed.) : *Land System and Feudalism in Ancient India.*
D.D. Kosambi : *An Introduction to the Study of the Indian History*
D.D. Kosambi : 'Indian Feudal Trade Charter's Journal of the Economic and Social History of Orient, vol. II, 1959.
D.N. Jha : 'Relevance of "Peasant State and Society" to Pallava-Cola times', *Indian Historical Review*, vol. VIII, Nos. 1-2, pp.74-94.
D.N.Jha (ed.) : *Feudal Order.*
Elliot & Dowson (tr.) : *History of India, Vol. I.*
Elliot & Dowson (tr.) : *History of India, Vol. II* (Aligarh, Reprint), Professor Mohammad Habib's Introduction.
G.K. Rai : *Forced labour in the Ancient and early Medieval India, I.H.R., Vol.III, No.1*
Lallanji Gopal : 'Medium of Exchange in Early Medieval India', *Journal of the Numismatic Society of India*, vol. 25, Part II, 1983.
Lallanji Gopal : *The Economic Life of Northern India.*
March Bloch : *Feudal society.*
Pushpa Niyogi : *Contributions to the Economic History of Northern India.*
R.Champaklakshmi : *Trade, Ideology and Urbanisation.*
R.S. Sharma : *Indian Feudalism.*
R.S. Sharma : *Land Grants to Vassals and Officials in Northern India (C.A.D. 1000-1200)' Journal of the Economic and Social History of the Orient, Vol. IV, 1961.*
R.S. Sharma : *The Early Medieval Indian Society, A Study in Feudalization.*
R.S. Sharma : *Urban Decay.*
Rashmi Upadhyaya : *Bhakti & Feudalism: An Overview to the Marxist Conception, Indica Vol. 42, No.2.*
T.V.Mahalingam : *Readings in South Indian History.*
V.Balambal : *Feudatories of South India.*
V.K.Thakur : *Historiography of Indian Feudalism.*
B.D. Thakur : *Studying Early India.*

HS-XO21:DEVELOPMENT OF ART AND ARCHITECTURE IN ANCIENT INDIA

Teacher: *Dr. Mohd. Afzal Khan*

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

13

1. Indus art. Early terracotta art.
2. Nature, antecedents & sources of Mauryan art (esp. Asokan Pillars).
3. Mathura and Gandhara art, themes and main features.
4. Gupta School of art.

UNIT-II

13

5. Ajanta mural paintings (detailed study): themes and their treatment.
6. Buddhist architecture: classification, origins and essential elements; stupas at Sarnath, Bharhut, Sanchi and Amravati.
7. Rock cut architecture: Development of rock-cut architecture, with special reference to Lomas Rishi, Ajanta, Ellora. Forms and techniques.

UNIT-III

14

8. Development of Temple Architecture in Northern India:
(i) Gupta and early medieval styles.
(ii) Temples at Bhubaneshwar, Konarak and Khajuraho. Sculpture integrated with architecture.
9. The south Indian temples: origin and development: Mahabalipuram
10. Thanjavur and Madurai.

Note: *The candidate will be required to attempt three questions, one from each Unit.*

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

- | | |
|-----------------------------|---|
| V.A. Smith | - <i>History of Fine Art in India and Ceylon</i> , Oxford 1911. |
| Percy Brown | - <i>Indian Architecture</i> , vol. I, Bombay, 1971 |
| S.K. Saraswati | - <i>A Survey of Indian Sculptures</i> , Calcutta, 1957. |
| Niharranjan Ray | - <i>Mauryan and Sunga Art</i> , Calcutta, 1945. |
| C. Sivaramamurti | - <i>Indian Sculpture</i> , New Delhi, 1961. |
| A.K. Coomaraswamy | - <i>History of Indian and Indonesian Art</i> , New York, 1965. |
| R.C. Majumdar (ed.) | - <i>The Age of Imperial Unity</i> , (relevant chapters). |
| -do- | - <i>The Classical Age</i> (relevant chapters). |
| -do- | - <i>The Age of Imperial Kanauj</i> (relevant chapters). |
| N.P. Joshi | - <i>Mathura Sculpture</i> , Agra, 1966. |
| R.C., Sharma | - <i>Buddhist Art of Mathura</i> , Delhi, 1984. |
| J.C. Harle | - <i>Gupta Sculpture</i> . |
| Alan Watts | - <i>The Temple of Konarak, Erotic Spirituality</i> , New Delhi, 1971. |
| V.S. Agrawala | - <i>Indian Art, Varanasi</i> , 1965. |
| K.V. Soundara Rajan | - <i>Indian Temple Styles</i> , New Delhi, 1972. |
| Fergusson, J. | - <i>A History of Indian and Eastern Architecture</i> , vol.I, New Delhi, 1972. |
| Krishna Deva | - <i>Temples of India</i> , 2 vols New Delhi, 1995. |
| M. Bussagli & Sivaramamurti | - <i>5000 Years of Art of India</i> , New Delhi. |
| Benoy K. Behl | - <i>The Ajanta Caves, Ancient Paintings of Buddhist India</i> , London, 1998. |

A. Ghosh

- *Ajanta Murals*, New Delhi, 1967.

HS-XO22: HISTORY OF SOUTH INDIA

Teacher: Dr. (Mrs.) S. Chandni Bi

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

1. (a) Beginning of historic period in South India.
(b) Sources with Special reference to Sangam literature.
(c) Sangam Age: Administration. Under the triple rulers viz.: Cheras, Cholas, and Pandyas.
(d) Social life: Institutions, customs practices and beliefs. Religious practices and views.

UNIT-II

- (a) The Satavahanas and Rashtrakutas: Administration. Ideas and institutions.
- (b) Social life: Institutions, customs, practices and beliefs, Religions; Practices and views.
- (c) Buddhism Jainism and its socio-cultural impacts.

UNIT-III

- (a) Administration under the Pallavas and Chalukyas
- (b) Social life under the Pallavas and Chalukyas.
- (c) Note: The chapter “Beginning of historic period in South India will be briefed for the cause of understanding the Subject and not for questioning.

DOCUMENTS

- (a) Udayendiram pl. of Nandivarman, South Indian Inscription: Volume II, part-iii, iv. p.361-374.
- (b) Velur palayom pl of Vijayanandi Varman South Indian Inscription: Volume II, part-iii, iv pp.501-517.
- (c) Tandan Tottam Pl. of Vijayanandi Varman South Indian Inscription: Volume II, part-iii, iv pp.517-535.
- (d) Kasakudi plates of Nandivarman Pallava Malla. South Indian Inscription: Volume II, part-iii, iv pp 342-361.
- (e) Pallan Kovil, *Copper Plates*, - Transactions of the Archaeological Society of South India, 1958-59, pp.41-83.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED

Mishra Jayashri : *Social and Economic condition under the Rashtrakutas* – Common Wealth Publications – 1992.

Parashaer Sen, Aloka – ed. *Social and Economic History of Early Deccan*, Manohar Publications, New. Delhi. 1993.

K.K. Pillay, *Social History of the Tamils* – Madras University Publications 1975.

C. Meenakshi, *Administration and Social Life under the Pallavas*, Madras, 1977.

N. Subbramanyam, *Sangam Polity*, Madras.

N. K. Mangala Murugesan, *Sangam Age*, Madras, 1982.

T.V. Mahalingam, *South Indian Polity*, Madras, 1976.

HS-XO13: LATER MUGHAL (1707-1761), SOCIETY, CULTURE & ECONOMY

Teacher: Dr. Syed Liyaqat Husain Moini

No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

14

Socio-cultural Scenario:

- (a) Social Life and activities at Delhi, Emperor, nobility and common man. Hindu Muslim relations, fairs, festivals and other cultural activities
- (b) Life at other Urban Centres Lucknow, Hyderabad Bengal.
- (c) Educational System: Sciences, Growth of Persian and Urdu Languages and Literature.
- (d) Architecture, Painting and Music.

UNIT-II

14

Religious Currents and Reforms:

- (a) Shah Waliullah: Socio-Religious reformer.
- (b) Revival of the Chishti Order Maulana Fakhruddin and his successors
- (c) Mirza Mazhar Jan-i-Janan and Khwaja Mir Dard
- (d) Growth of Shiaism

UNIT-III

12

Economic Condition:

- (a) Mughal Empire during the First Half of 18th Century 1707-61.
- (b) Zamindars, Jagirdars and Peasants.
- (c) Industries and Markets: With special reference to Bengal
- (d) Trade and Commerce

Note: *There will be three questions, one from each Unit.*

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

- Z.U. Malik : *The Reign of Muhammad Shah; 1719-1748.*
- Satish Chandra : *18th Century in India; Its Economy and the Role of the Marathas, the Jats, the Sikhs and the Afghans.*
- Muzaffar Alam : *Crisis of Empire in Mughal North India. Awadh and the Punjab 1707-1748.*
- Noman A. Siddiqui : *Land Revenue Administration under the Mughals.*
- Sushil Chaudhury : *From Prosperity to Decline Eighteenth Century Bengal.*
- J.A. Baljon : *Religion and thought of Shah Waliullah Dehlavi 1703-1762.*
- C.W. Troll (ed.) : *Muslim Shrines in India.*
- M.Umar : *Islam in Northern India during the eighteenth Century.*
- do- : *Muslim Society in Northern India during the eighteenth century.*
- do- : *Urban Culture in Northern India during the Eighteen Century.*
- S.L.H. Moini : *The Chishti Shrine of Ajmer, Pirs, Pilgrims, Practices.*
- R. Barnett : *North India Society between Empires: Awadh-Mughal & the British 1720-1801.*

- K.K.Chaterji : *Trade and Darbar Politics. The Bengal Subah 1733/1757*
Modern Asian Studies 26/2/99.
- Fisher M.A. : *Clash of Cultures. Awadh the British and the Mughals.*
- Mrs. Mir Hassan Ali: *‘Observation on the Mussalmans of India’* : descriptive of their
manners, customs habits and religious opinion – 2 volumes.
- J.N. Hollister. : *The Shias of India.*
- K.A.Nizami : *Studies of Medieval Indian History and Culture.*
- Datta K : *Survey of Indian Social Life and Economic Condition in the*
eighteenth century 1703-1813.
- A.Schimmel : *Islam in the Indian Subcontinent.*

HS-XO14: ECONOMIC HISTORY OF INDIA 1550-1750

Teacher: Prof. Shireen Moosvi
Dr. R.K. Husain

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT – I

14

1. The Land and People: Forests and extent of cultivation. Population estimates: Land-man ratio.
2. Peasant farming. Farming methods; crops. Agricultural production and the market.
3. Peasant differentiation and village community. Landless labour.
4. The *Zamindars*: Rights to land, and relations with peasants and state. Role of revenue-grantees.
5. Land Revenue: size; methods of assessment and collection; cash nexus. General implications for structure of economy.

UNIT – II

13

6. The Ruling Class: Nobles as holders of *mansabs* and *jagirs*. Concentration of wealth. *Jagir* transfers and their consequences.
7. Subordinate Classes: The army, professional classes, service sector. Nature of Mughal 'middle class'.
8. Non-agricultural production. Technology. Forms of organization of production. Mines and major industries. Gender division of labour.
9. Inland commerce and merchant communities. *Banjaras*, pedlars, and big merchants.
10. Urban Sector: Size and growth of urban population. Urban wages.

UNIT-III

13

11. Money and Credit: Coinage. The *sarrafs*. Bills of exchange, insurance, banking. Interest rates.
12. Trade with Europe. Companies vs. indigenous merchants and shipping.
13. Movement of prices in 16th and 17th centuries.
14. Economic and social change in Mughal India: Growth or stagnation? Population and GNP changes as indicators.
15. Economic consequences of the decline of the Mughal empire: a study of current theories of the 18th century.

DOCUMENTS

1. *Akbarnama*, Vol.III, Beveridge, pp.413-41, (Fixation of *Jama-i dahsala*): pp.560-66 (Todar Mal's recommendations). Unit- I & II
2. *Ain-i Akbari*, Vol.I, tr. Blochmann, ed. Phillot, Book II, *Ain*.19, on *Suyurghal* (pp.278-80). Unit- I & II
3. *Ain-i Akbari*, Vol.II, tr. Jarret, *Ain-i `Amalguzar* (pp.46-50); *Ain-i Bitikchi* (pp.50-52); *Ain-i Khazanadar* (pp.52-53); *Ain-i Rawai Rozi* (pp.53-59). Unit- I & II
4. Francisco Pelsaert, tr. Moreland & Geyl, *Jahangir's India*, pp.1-69. Unit- I & III

5. Francois Bernier, *Travels in the Mughal Empire, 1656-68*, transl. A. Constable, Letters to M. Colbert and M. de. La Mothe le Vayr. Unit- I & III.

NOTE: There will be three questions one from each Unit. At least one of the questions may relate quotations from the Documents under the relevant Unit.

BOOKS RCOMMENDED:

1. W.H. Moreland - *The Agrarian Systemo f Moslem India.*
2. -do- - *India at the Death of Akbar.*
3. -do- - *From Akbar to Aurangzeb*
4. Irfan Habib - *The Agrarian system of Mughal India 1556-1717, Second edition.*
5. -do- - *Essays in Indian History: Towards a Marxist Perception* (esp. 'Potentialities of Capitalism in Mughal India').
6. -do- - *Technology in Medieval India, People's History of India, No.20*
7. -do- - *Man and Environment: The Ecological History of India.*
8. T. Raychaudhuri & Irfan Habi - *Cambridge Economic History of India vol. I*
9. J.S. Grewal (ed). - *Social History of Medieval India* (relevant chapters).
10. S. Moosvi - *Economy of the Mughal Empire – A Statistical Study.*
11. -do- - *People, Taxation and Trade in Mughal India.*
12. M. Athar Ali - *Mughal Nobility Under Aurangzeb.*
13. K.N. Chaudhuri - *The Trading World of Asia.*
14. Niels Steensgaard - *The Asian Trade Revolution of the Seventeenth Century, Chapters I-IV*
15. Om Prakash - *European Commercial Enterprise in Pre-Colonial India, New Cambridge History Series.*
16. S. Subrahmanian (ed.) - *Merchants, Markets and the State in Early Modern India, 1994*
17. Shireen Moosvi - *Man and Environment in Mughal Era*

PAPERS AND ARTICLES:

- | | | |
|----------------|---|--|
| W.C. Smith | - | 'The Mughal Empire and the Middle Classes', <i>Islamic Culture</i> , 1944 |
| S. Nurul Hasan | - | 'Zamindars in the Mughal Empire', <i>IESHR</i> , IV(3). |
| Satish Chandra | - | 'Some Aspects of the Growth of Money Economy during the 17 th Century', <i>IESHR</i> , III (4) (1966). |
| -do- | - | 'Some Aspects of Indian Village Society in Northern India during the 18 th century', <i>Indian Historical Review</i> , I, (1974), pp.51-64. |

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|-------------------|---|---|
| Irfan Habib | - | 'Trimetallism in the Mughal Monetary system and the impact of the silver influx' <i>Imperial Monetary System of Mughal India</i> , ed. J.F. Richards. |
| -do- | - | 'The Eighteenth Century in Indian Economic History', <i>The Eighteenth Century</i> ed. Marshall |
| -do-- | | 'Bills of Exchange in Mughal India', <i>Proc. of IHC</i> , Muzaffarpur Session, 1972. |
| -do-- | | 'Merchant Communities in precolonial India', <i>The rise of Merchant Empires</i> , ed. J. Tracey. |
| A.J. Qaisar | - | 'Distribution of Revenue Resources of the Mughal Empire among the Nobility', <i>Proc. of IHC, Allahabad Session, 1965</i> . |
| Iqtidar Alam Khan | - | 'The Middle Classes in the Mughal Empire' , <i>Proc. of the IHC</i> , Aligarh Session, 1975. (Presidential Address, Medieval Indian Section). |
| Aziza Hasan | - | 'Silver Currency output in the Mughal Empire during the 16 th and 17 th centuries', <i>IESHR</i> , VI, I (March 1969). |
| Najaf Haider | - | 'Precious Metal Flows and Currency circulation in the Mughal Empire' <i>JESHO</i> , 39, 3,1996, pp.298-367. |

HSM-XO24 NORTHERN INDIA IN THE 15TH CENTURY

Teacher: Dr. Ali Athar

Total No. of Lectures – 40

UNIT – I

14

1- Northern India:

The disintegration of the Sultanate of Delhi; regionalisation of politics. Rise of regional kingdoms.

2- Conflict between different regional rulers for supremacy and its consequences. Nature of mutual relations between the provincial Sultans.

3- The Saiyids:

Establishment of the Saiyid dynasty in Delhi, Relations between the Sultan and the Nobility.

UNIT-II

13

4- The Lodi Dynasty:

The Rise of Afghans to Power; Position of the Nobility under Bahlol Lodi & Sikandar Lodi.

5- Ibrahim Lodi:

Accession of Ibrahim Lodi; conflict between the Sultan and the Nobility.

6. Relations with Rana Sanga and other Rajput chiefs; Conflict with Babur. The First Battle of Panipat.

UNIT – III

13

7. Architecture under the Lodis and Sharqi's of Jaunpur.

8. The *Sharqis* and their Relation with the Lodis

9. Babar's Account of Hindustan: His description of the Society and Culture.

Note: Candidates are expected to attempt three questions, one from each unit.

RECOMMENDED BOOKS:

- | | |
|---------------|---|
| Peter Jackson | : <i>The Delhi Sultanate: A Political and Military History.</i> |
| A.B. Pandey | : <i>The First Afghan Empire</i> (Calcutta) |
| A. Halim | : <i>History of the Lodi Sultans of Delhi and Agra, Indara-i-Adbiyat Delhi, 1974.</i> |
| Moreland | : <i>Agrarian System of Moslem India.</i> |
| I.H. Siddiqui | : <i>Some Aspects of Afghan despotism in India, Aligarh. 1960.</i> |

- Tara Chand : *Influence of Islam on Indian Culture*
-do- : *Diplomatic Ties between the Lodi Sultans and the Rulers of Gujrat Medieval India – A Miscellany*, Aligarh, Vol. 3.
- John F Richards : *The Economic History of the Lodi Period- 1451-1526*, *Journal of the economic and Social History of the Orient*, Vol. VIII, Leiden, 1965.
- Babur Namah : *English Translation*, Beveridge, A.S.
- Mohibul Hasan : *Babur*.
- Rushbrook Williams : *An Empire Builder of the Sixteenth Century*.
- Percy Brown : *Indian Architecture (Islamic Period)*
- Mian Muhammad Saeed : *The Sharqi Sultnate of Jaunpur*, Karachi, 1972.

HS-XO26: NON-MUSLIM RELIGIOUS THOUGHT AND MOVEMENTS IN MEDIEVAL INDIA

Teacher: Dr. Sumbul Halim Khan

No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

14

1. Early Religious thought in India:
 - d. Evolution of the 'Bhagavata' (Bhakti) Cult.
 - e. Shankaracharya and Ramanuja
2. Brahmanical Sects and development of Vaishnavism
 - a. Growth of popular Vaishnava Sects;
 - b. The Esoteric Cults – the Siddhas; the Yogis; the Lingayats.
3. Maharashtra Dharma:
Its social and political significance; division into Varkari and Dharkari Sections; Preachings of Namdev, Tukaram and Ramdas.

UNIT-II

13

4. Chaitanya Movement:
Social and religious significance of the Movement; life and teachings of Chaitanya; the Goswamis and their theological and literary contributions.
5. Bhakti Movement:
Transmission of Bhakti thought to the North, Ramanand.
6. Radical Monotheistic Tradition:
 - a. Kabir: Sources and content of his thought; his social outlook; formation and development of Kabir-panth.
 - b. Social Revolt, Krishna Bhakti and Mirabai.

UNIT-III

13

7. Sikhism:
 - a. Nanak: his social out-look; formation of Sikhism.
 - b. Guru Arjan: his compilation of Guru Granth; its salient features; evolution of politics and armed resistance.
8. Other Monotheistic Sects:
 - a. Dadu and Dadupanth; emergence of Nagas as militant force.
 - b. The Satnami Sect and the Pranami Sect.
9. The Vaishnava Revivalist Movement:
 - a. Tulsidas: his life and efforts for revivalism; 'Ramcharitmanas' and its social impact.
 - b. Nabhasdas: historical significance of his 'Bhaktmala'.
 - c. Impact of Bhakti Movement on Medieval Literature.

DOCUMENTS

- i. The *Ain-i-Akbari*, English tr. by H.S. Jarrett, Vol, III, edition III, 1948, pp.172-9.

- ii. Following texts from the Guru Granth Sahib (Eng. tr. by M.A. Macauliffe, 'The Sikh Religion', Delhi, 1963). Macauliffe, Vol. VI.

A. Namdev	:	<i>Gauri</i> (pp.40-41); <i>Asa</i> II & III (pp.42-43), <i>Tilang</i> II (p.53); <i>Gaund</i> VII & VIII, (pp.57-58). Unit-I
B. Kabir	:	<i>Gauri</i> IV & V; VIII (pp.145-46); XXX p.156); XLII (p.161); LXVII (p.177). <i>Asa</i> , XVII (pp.204-05); XXIX (pp.211-12); <i>Prabhati</i> II & IV (pp. 276-77); <i>Vaudeville</i> , Kabir vol. I, Oxford, 1974, <i>Sakhis</i> 34-43 (pp. 185-87); 1-12 (pp.255-57). Unit-II
C. Dhanna	:	<i>Asa</i> , p.109. Unit-II, Macauliffe, Vol. I:
D. Nanak	:	<i>Japji</i> V & VI (pp. 198-99), XXI & XXII (pp.206-7). <i>Asa Ki War</i> , <i>Sloks</i> VI (pp.225-26); IX (pp.229-30), XI (pp.232-33); and <i>Rag Gauri hymns</i> (pp.290-96). Unit-III
(iii) Dadu	:	(Following verses from his selected and translated text in <i>A Sixteenth Century Mystic</i> by W.G. Orr, London, 1974). Unit-III
Sakhis	:	<i>The Divine Guru</i> , pp.84-86; <i>The Truth</i> , pp.91-92. <i>The Sadhus Robe</i> , pp.103-104.
Padas	:	<i>The Four Watches</i> , pp.108-111; <i>Worship</i> , pp.125-26.

Note: There will be three questions one from each Unit. At least one out of these questions may be set on quotations from the documents under the relevant Unit.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

Sumita Pande	:	<i>Birth of Bhakti in Indian Religions & Art.</i>
B.K. Goswami	:	<i>The Bhakti cult in Ancient India.</i>
R.N. Vyas	:	<i>The Bhagavata Bhakti Cult and three Advaita Acharyas.</i>
Aiyar, Aiyangar T.	:	<i>Three Great Acharyas</i> (Shankara, Ramanuja & Rajagopalacharya & Madhava)
C.V. Narayan Ayyar	:	<i>Origin and Early History of Saivism.</i>
Chingiz. Vaudeville	:	<i>Kabir</i> (Vol. I).
C.H. Westcott	:	<i>Kabir and the Kabir Panth.</i>
F.E. Keay	:	<i>Kabir and his Followers.</i>
W.G. Orr	:	<i>A Sixteenth Century Mystic.</i>
D.C. Sen	:	<i>Chaitanya and His Age.</i>
Jadunath Sarkar	:	<i>Chaitanya's Life and Teachings.</i>
M.T. Kennedy	:	<i>The Chaitanya Movement.</i>
Gurbachan Singh & others	:	<i>Guru Nanak, his personality and Vision.</i>
Fauja Singh	:	<i>Sikhism.</i>
G.S. Grewal	:	<i>Guru Nanak in History.</i>
W.H. McLeod	:	<i>Guru Nanak and the Sikh Religion.</i>
Sher Singh	:	<i>Philosophy of Sikhism.</i>

- C.K. Handoo : *Tulsidas* (Poet, Saint and Philosopher of the sixteenth Century), 1964.
- Haridas Bhattacharya : *The Cultural Heritage of India* (New Series), Vol. III, Pt. II & III; vol. IV, Pt., I & II.
- H.H.Wilson : *Religious Sects of the Hindus.*
- D.R. Bhandarkar : *Vaishnavism, Shaivism and other Minor Sects.*
- Tara Chand : *Influence of Islam on Indian Culture.*
- Yusuf Husain : *Glimpses of Medieval Indian Culture.*
- Aziz Ahmad : *Studies in Islamic Culture in the Indian Environment*, Parts IV & V.
- J.C. Oman : *The Mystics, Ascetics, and Saints of India.* The Saints of Northern India (From Ramananda to Ram Tirath).
- J.N. Farguhar : *An Outline of the Religious Literature of India.*
- S. Iraqi : *Bhakti Movement in Medieval India: Social & Political Perspectives*

ARTICLES:

- P.V. Ranade : 'Feudal Content of Maharashtra Dharma', *IHR*, 1974, pp.44-50.
- G.S. Grewal : 'Guru Nanak: Some of his key concepts (Article No.58 in the Departmental Library).
- G. Grierson : 'Tulsidas, Poet and Religious Reformer', *JRAS*, 1903.
- do- : 'Gleanings on the Bhaktmala' *JRAS*, 1909, 1910.
- Irfan Habib : 'Medieval Popular Monotheism and its Humanism: The Historical Setting', *Social Scientist*, Vol. 21, Nos. 3-4, March-April 1993.
- S. Iraqi : 'Historical and Religious Dimensions of Dadupanthi Sources' *Islamic Culture*, Vol. LXXI, No.3, July 1997, pp.37-66.
- do- : 'The Satnami Sect of Narnaul' , *U.P. Historical Review*, Vol. I, 1982.
- do- : 'Historical Importance of the Literature of Pranami Sect', *Islamic Culture*, Vol. LXXV, No.4, October, 2001, pp.97-104.

HS-XO27: DEVELOPMENT OF ART IN INDIA (XVI-XVII CENTURY)

Teacher: Dr. Mohd. Parwez

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

14

1. Origin of Mughal School of Painting: Impact of External and Internal traditions.
2. a. Akbar's attitude towards painting. Emphasis on realism.
b. Organization and working of the royal atelier (*taswirkhana*); painting patronized by Princes and Nobles.
3. Principal illustrated manuscripts and their characteristic features.
4. Work of major painters of Akbar's Court: Mir Sayyid Ali, Khwaja Abdus Samad, Basawan and Daswant

UNIT-II

13

1. Development of Portraiture and Margin-Painting.
2. Major painters of the 17th century Mughal School and their work: Mansur, Bishandas, Bichitr, Abu'l Hasan and Kesavdas.
3. European impact on Mughal painting.
4. Material, media and technique of Mughal Painting.

UNIT-III

13

1. a. Major themes of Mughal Paintings: Historical miniatures; Religious subjects; Sport and games, Pictures on natural history; Depiction of common people.
b. Mughal School outside the court (including 'Bazar Painting');
2. Material Culture depicted in Mughal Painting: Evidence on contemporary technology.
3. A general survey of Painting in Deccan at Ahmadnagar, Bijapur and Golconda during 16th-17th centuries.

NOTE: There will be three questions, one from each Unit.

I BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

- | | |
|---------------------------|---|
| Abu'l Fazl | - <i>Ain-i akbari</i> , vol. I (<i>Ain.34</i>), tr., pp.113-5. |
| Jahangir | - <i>Tuzuk-i Jahangiri</i> (tr. Vol. I, pp.14-15), Vol. II, pp.16-7, 20-21, 108, 116-117, 145, 157. |
| Arnold, T.W. & Binyon, L. | - <i>The Court Painters of the Grand Moguls</i> , Oxford, 1921. |
| Brown, Percy | - <i>Indian Painting Under the Mughals A.D. 1550-1760</i> . Oxford, 1921. |

- Barrett, D & Gray. B. - *Painting of India, Lausanne, 1963.*
- Das, Asok Kumar - *Mughal Painting during Jahangir's Time, Calcutta, 1978.*
- Das, Asok Kumar - (ed.) *Mughal Masters: Further Studies, Marg Publications, Mumbai, 1998.*
- Verma, S.P. - *Art and Material Culture in the Paintings of Akbar's court, Delhi, 1978.*
- Verma, S.P. - *Mughal Painters and their Work- A Biographical Survey and Comprehensive Catalogue, New Delhi, 1994.*
- A. Rogers - *Indian Miniatures, London, 1993.*
- Qaisar, A.J. - *The Indian Response to European Technology and Culture, Delhi 1982 (Chapter III).*
- Pal, Pratapaditya - (ed.) *Master Artists of the Imperial Mughal Court, Marg Publications, Bombay, 1991, pp1-16 (Basawan): 39-52 (Mansur); 69-86 (Abul Hasan).*
- Beach, M.C. - *The new Cambridge History of India, Mughal and Rajput Painting, Cambridge, 1993.*
- Beach, M.C. - *The Grand Mogul Imperial Painting in India, (1600-1660), Williamstown, U.S.A., 1978.*
- Zebrowski, Mark George - *Deccan Painting, London, 1983.*
- Michell & Mark Zebrowski - *The New Cambridge History of India: Architecture and Art of the Deccan Sultanates, Cambridge, 1999.*

II Suggested Reading:

- Niharranjan Ray - *Mughal Court Painting, Calcutta, 1975.*
- Smith, V.A. - *History of the Fine Art in India and Ceylon, Oxford, 1911.*
- Verma, S.P. - (ed.) *Flora and Fauna in Mughal Art, Marg Publications, Mumbai, 1999.*
- Verma, S.P. - *Painter of Flora and Fauna, Ustad Mansur, , New Delhi, 1999.*
- Sen, Geeti - *Paintings from the Akbarnama, New Delhi, 1984.*
- A.J. Qaisar & S.P. Verma - (ed.) *Art and Culture, Felicitation S.P. Verma Volume in Honour of Professor S. Nurul Hasan, Jaipur, 1993 (relevant articles).*
- A.J. Qaisar & S.P. Verma - (ed.) *Art and culture, Endeavours in Interpretation, New Delhi, 1996 (relevant articles).*
- A.J. Qaisar & S.P. Verma - (ed.) *Art and Culture, Painting and Perspective, New Delhi, 2002 (relevant articles).*
- MacLagan, E.D. - *The Jesuits and the Great Mogul, London, 1932 (Chapter XV, pp.222-267).*
- Pratapaditya Pal & Others - *Romance of the Taj Mahal, New Delhi, 1983 (Chapter 3).*
- Amina Okada - *Imperial Mughal Painters, Flammarion, no date.*

Ebba Koch - *Mughal Art and Imperial Ideology*, New Delhi, 2001.

III Articles:

- Beach, M.C. - 'The Mughal Painter Kesu Das', *Archives of Asian Art*, No.30, London, 1976-7.
- Das A.K. - 'Ustad Mansur', *Lalit kala* Nos. 17&18, New Delhi, 1974, 1977.
- Welch, S.C. - 'The Paintings of Basawan', *Lalit Kala*, No.10, New Delhi; 1963.
- Verma, S.P. - 'Historicity of Portraits from the Mughal School; *Indian Historical Review*, New Delhi, 1982-83.
- Verma, S.P. - 'Technology in Mughal India – Evidence of Mughal Painting', in *Technology in Ancient and Medieval India*, ed., Anirudhha Roy and S.K. Bagchi, Delhi 1986.
- do- - 'Artist's signature in Miniatures of the Mughal School, *The Indian Historical Review*, Vol. X, No.1, 1987, pp.32-44.
- Anand Krishna - (ed.) *Chhavi* (Golden Jubilee Volume), Banaras: 1971. pp.183-191 (Bishandas).

HSM-XO28: INDO-PERSIAN HISTORIOGRAPHY (16th CENTURY)

Teacher: Dr. Mohammad Afzal Khan

Total No. of Lectures – 40

UNIT – I

13

1. Influence of Sultanate and Timurid Historiography on Histories of the sixteenth century.
2. The Early Afghan Histories: *Waqiat-i-Mushtaqi*; *Tuhfa-i-Akbar Shahi*.
3. *Babur Namah*: Natur, language and contents. Strong sense of geography, outlook, critical acumen, natural history.

Unit – II

13

4. *Tarikh-i-Akbar Shahi* of Arif Qandhari – its nature and value.
5. *Tabaqat-i-Akbari* of Nizamuddin Ahmad: History of India, Legacy for Firishta.
6. Gulbadan, Bayazid and Jauhar Aftabchi.

Unit – III

14

7. Abul Fazl
 - a) Abul Fazl's approach to history; *Akbar Nama*, a historical narrative, its conception and preparation.
 - b) *Ain-i-Akbari* – style, assessment as historical and statistical record. Description of administration, revenues and culture of India.
8. Badauni's *Muntakhab-u't-Tawarikh*. Its approach and value.

Books Recommended:

(A) Prescribed Texts:

- Abbas Khan Sarwani : *Tarikh-i Sher Shahi*, ed. & trans. S.M. Imam-u'ddin Dacca, 1962.
- Abdul Qadir Badauni : *Muntakhab u't Tawarikh*, trans. W.H. Lowe, Vol.2.
- Shireen Moosvi : *Episodes in the Life of Akbar*, NBT, New Delhi, 1994.

(B) Suggested Readings:

- Elliot & Dowson : *History of India as told by its own Historians*, vols. 4, 5, and 6.
- K.A. Nizami : *History and Historians of Medieval India* (Selections).
- Philips, C.H. : *Historians of India, Pakistan and Ceylon* (Selections).
- S.A.A.Rizvi : *Religious and Intellectual History of Muslims in Akbar's Reign with special reference to Abul Fazl (1556-1605)*.
- Mohibul Hasan : *Historians of Medieval India* (Selections).
- Irfan Habib : "A Political Theory for the Mughal Empire: A Study of the Ideas of Abul Fazl" *Proceedings of I.H.C.*, Patiala, 1998.

- M. Athar Ali : *Mughal India: Studies in Polity, Ideas, Society and Culture*, OUP, New Delhi, 2006, Chapters 1, 29 & 30.
- Shireen Moosvi : *The Economy of the Mughal Empire c.1595: A Statistical Study*, OUP, New Delhi, 1987 (Introduction).
- do- : 'Making and Recording History – Akbar and the *Akbar Namah*', in *Akbar and His Age* (ed.) Iqtidar Alam Khan, New Delhi, 1999.
- Harbans Mukhia : *Historians and Historiography During the Reign of Akbar*.
- H. Blochmann : *Badauni and his Works*. J.A.S.B., 1869.
- Fauzia Z. Abbas : 'Abdul Qadir Badauni.
- Azra Alavi : *Socio-Religious outlook of Abul Fazl*

HS-X029: REGIONAL HISTORY: RAJASTHAN (C. 1400-1707)

Teacher: Dr. M. K. Pundhir

Total No. of Lectures 40

Unit - I

1. Geographical background: Physical geography.
2. The Rajputs: The 'feudal' structure of pre-Sultanate Rajasthan.
3. The Rise of Mewar and Marwar: Political history of Mewar: Rana Kumbha to Rana Sanga. Marwar under Maldeo.
4. Rajputs Relations with Mughals 1562-1707: Akbar's Expansion and reconciliation with Rajputs. Rise of Kachwaha Jahangir's policy towards Rajputs. Shahjahan and the Rathors. The Rajputs and the war of succession, 1658-59. Aurangzeb's Rajput policy in the early years. The Rathor rebellion and its aftermath. Rajput in Mughal nobility. *Sawai Raja Jai Singh*.

Unit- II

5. Culture in Rajasthan

- (A) Cultural life: Customs, Rituals, Fairs and Festivals. Costumes and Design. Folk Songs and Dances.
- (B) Paintings: Different Schools and their characteristics.

6. Technology in Rajasthan

- (A) Structural Technology: Characteristic features of Rajasthani Architecture. Its interaction with Mughal Architecture. Forts and Fortification, Palaces, Temples, Cenotaphs, cities, etc.
- (B) Hydraulic technology and Civil Engineering: Dams, Water works, Step wells, etc.

Unit – III

7. Economy in the 17th century: Extent of cultivation; agricultural production. Famines. Trade and Commerce.
8. Urban and Rural structure of Society: Population, urban and rural with special reference to Marwar. Village and stratification of peasantry with special reference to Eastern Rajasthan.
9. **Sources:** Inscriptions. Bardic narratives, Persian Histories: *Vakil's reports*, Nainsi's *Vigat* and *Khyat*, *Arhsattas*, *Parwanas*, *Chitthiyats*. Documents like *taqsims*, *Khasras* and *dastur-ulama/s* and *amal-dasturs*.

Note: *There will be three questions, one from each Unit.*

BOOKS RECOMMENDED

1. James Tod : Annals and Antiquities of Rajasthan (2 Vols.)
2. Shyamal Das : Vir Vinod (4 Vols. Relevant portion)
3. G. H. Ojha : Rajputana Ka Itihas (2 Vols).
4. V. N. Reu : Marwar Ka Itihas (2 Vols).
5. G.N. Sharma : Mewar and Mughal Emperors.
6. – do- : Social Life in Medieval Rajasthan.

7. – do- : Rajasthan Through the Ages, Vol. 2.
8. V. S. Bhargava : Marwar and the Mughal Emperors.
9. G.D. Sharma : Rajput polity.
10. Coomarswamy : *Rajput Paintings*.
11. Moti Chand : *Mewar Painting*.
12. E.B.Havell : *Indian Architecture (Selected Portions)*.
13. Satish Chandra : *Parties and Politics at the Mughal Court 1707-1740*.
14. S.P. Gupta : *Agrarian System of Eastern Rajasthan, 1650-1750*.
15. B.L.Bhadani : Peasants, Artisans & Enterprisers-Economy of Marwar in 17th Century.
16. M.T. Sethia : Rajput Polity: Warriors, Peasants and Merchants.
17. S.P.Gupta & : Taqsim C. 1649-1800, Introduction S.H. Khan
18. L.P.Mathur : Forts and Strongholds of Rajasthan.
19. R.A.Somani : Temples of Rajasthan.
20. GHR Tillatson : Rajput Palaces; the development of an architectural style-1450-1750.
21. M.Prabhakar : Cultural heritage of Rajasthan.
22. Krishana Chaitanya : Rajasthani Tradition.
23. Percy Brown : Indian Architecture (Islamic Period).
24. A. Cunningham : Selections from Archaeological Survey of India Reports.
25. G.S. Ghurye : Rajput Architecture.
26. M.S. Mate : A History of Water Management and Hydraulic Technology in India.
27. Rama Hooja : History of Rajasthan

ARTICLES

1. Satish Chandra & : The Jaipur Pargana Records', *IESHR*, No.31, 1966.
S.P.Gupta
2. Satish Chandra & : Stratification and Structure in Rural. Society in Eastern, Dilbagh Singh Rajasthan', *PIHC*, 1972.
3. B.L.Bhadani : Jaisalmer; Settlement pattern, Dam Technology and Economy in the first half of Seventeenth Century. *Prof. Agam Prasad Mathur Felicitation Volume*, 1995.
4. – do- : Udaipur Sagar: A Eleventh Century Dam in Mewar. Cyclostyled copy available in the Department of History, AMU, Aligarh.
5. –Do- : Indra sarovar Dam: in Service of the Royal Family deity and the people, *Prof. Anand Krishana of B.H.U. Felicitation Volume*.
6. G.S.L.Devra : 'Nature and Incidence of *Rokad Rakam* (con-agricultural taxes) in the Land Revenue System of the Bikaner State (1650-1700 AD) *PIHC*, Calicut, 1976.
7. M. Athar Ali : 'Causes of the Rathore rebellion of 1799', *P IHC*, Delhi, 1961.
8. G.D.Sharma : 'Marwar War as depicted in Rajasthani Sources (1678-1679)'

- Journal of Indian History*, Vol. 42, No.1, 1975.
9. Inayat A. Zaidi : Ordinary Kacchawaha troopers serving the Mughal Empire, Composition and structure of the contingent of the Kachawaha nobles'.
 10. Sunita Budhwar : 'Assignments of Jagirs in Rajputana', *PIHC*, 1974.
 11. S.P.Gupta : "A Note on *Khasra* " *Medieval India - A Miscellany*, Vol. IV, 1976.History, AMU, Aligarh.
 12. M. K. Pundhir : Some Selected Parwanas from Eastern Rajasthan c. 1664-1730 A.D., *PIHC*, Aligarh, 1994.
 13. -do- : Banjaron Ki Baori: A Study of Medieval Hydraulic Structure in Sikar District of Rajasthan, *Shaikhawati* through the Ages [in press].
 14. -do- : Perception of the Forts of Rajasthan as Depicted in Persian Sources of early Medieval Rajasthan. Cyclostyled copy available in the Department of History, AMU, Aligarh.
 15. S. H. Khan : Vakil's Reports in Rajasthan State Archives, Bikaner, *PIHC*, 1984.
 16. Vinod Kumar Singh: Salim Sagar: A Sixteenth Century Water works in the Fort of Alwar, *PIHC*, Aligarh, 1994.
 17. -do- : Tahangarh Fort: An Archaeology Survey, *PIHC*, Patiala, 1998.
 18. -do- : A Survey of Pre-modern Water works at Ranthambhor Fort; technology to trap, store and supply water, *PIHC*, Bhopal, 2001.
 19. -do- : A Survey of the Water works in the Fort of Alwar, *PIHC*, Bangalore, 1997.
 20. -do- : A Survey of the Stepwells in Shekhawati Region, *PIHC*, Bareilly, 2004.

HS-XO30: REGIONAL HISTORY: BENGAL FROM THE MUGHAL CONQUEST TO THE END OF NIZAMAT

Teacher: Dr. Mohammad Parwez

Total No. of Lectures 40

Unit-I

1. Bengal Under The Mughals (Political)

- a. Mughal conquest of Bengal, struggle with the Afghans; the Karranis; the battle of Tukaroi 1575; Mughal occupation of Bengal.
- b. Bengal under Akbar: terrestrial adjustments; local forces opposed to the Mughal rule in Bengal, the Afghans, Bhuiyas, and Portuguese.
- c. Jahangir: Expansion and consolidation of the Mughal power: policy toward the Portuguese and the neighbouring chieftains.
- d. Shah Jahan: Struggles with the Portuguese and the capture of Hugli in 1632. North eastern policy of Shahjahan.
- e. Aurangzeb: Trans-forntier expansion. Mir Jumla and the Assam campaign. Shaista Khan's Chittagong expedition. Expansion of trade of European Companies in the latter half of the 18th Century.

Unit-II

2. Bengal Under the Mughals (Administrations)

- a. Main features of the Provincial administration; civil and judiciary, revenue and the *zamindari system*.
- b. Centre –Province relations.

3. Economic conditions of Mughal Bengal

- a. Agricultural production.
- b. Textile Industry; Cotton and silk
- c. External commerce: Rise of Silk Trade

Unit-III

4. Bengal Under the Nazims (Political)

- a. Murshid Quli Khan and Jafar Khan relations with the Mughal Central government.
- b. Ali Vardi Khan: Break with Delhi; Relations with the Marathas.
- c. The English company and the Nizamat; fall of Sirajuddaula

5. Bengal Under the Nazims (Administration):

- a. Main features of the administrative organization; revenue system.
- b. English and Dutch trade in the Ist half of the 18th century.
- c. The zaminsdars under the Nizamat.

Texts:

Abdul Fazl : *Akbarnama* (Eng. Tr. By Beveridge) Vol.III, pp. 169-185, 226-232, 248-283, 426-432.
 - do - : *Ain-i-Akbari* (Eng. Tr. By Jarrett) Vol. II, pp. 129-137.
 Jahangir : *Tuzuk-i- Jahnagiri*, (Eng. Tr. By Beveridge) pp. 207-214.
 Abul Hamid : *Badshahnama*, Eng. Tr. In Elliot, vol. VII, pp. 31-33; 62-63.
 Gulam Husian Slim : *Riyaz-us Salatin* (Eng. Tr. By Abdus Salam) pp. 140-144.
 Siyar-ul-Mutakharrin (Eng. Tr.) Vol. I, pp. 375-369, Vol. II.
Note: There will be three questions, one from each Unit.

Books Recommended:

J.N. Sarkar : History of Bengal (relevant chapters)
 A.C. Roy : History of Bengal (1526-1765)
 C. Stewart : History of Bengal (relevant chapters)
 T.Roy Chawdhury : Bengal under Akbar and Jahangir
 S.N. Bhattacharjee : A History of the Mughal North East Frontier Policy
 P.Saran : Provincial Government under the Mughals
 K.K. Datta : Studies in the History of Bengal Subah.
 J.J. A. Compose : History of the Portuguese in Bengal (edited by Ambasthya).
 N.K.Sinha : Zamindari system in Bengal (Bengal Past and Present) 1957, Vol. 75.
 Shirin Akhtar : Role of Zamindar in Bengla 1701-1772, Decca, Asiatic Society of
 Bengladesh, 1982.
 Anjali Chatterji : Bengal Under Aurangzeb
 The Fifth Report (Minute of 18th Jan. 1789 by John Shore, and ‘Analysis’ by Charles Grant.

HSM-XO31: MEDIEVAL NUMISMATICS

Teacher: Dr. S. Jabir Raza

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

14

Transition from Early Medieval to Medieval (Delhi Sultanate):

1. Archaeological (Coin Hoards) & Literary evidence: Thakkura Pheru's Dravyapariksha.
2. Coins of Amirs of Sind and the Ghaznavid Sultans.
3. Types of Sultanate Coin: Dehliwals, Tankah, Jital.

UNIT-II

13

Deciphering Inscriptions on the Coin:

4. Religious legends: Kalima, Caliph's name.
5. Name, nisba and laqabs of the Delhi Sultans.
6. Date, mint name, calligraphy.

UNIT-III

13

Metallurgy and mint:

7. Metal and weight of the Sultanate Coins.
8. Mint Techniques
9. Mint towns.

Books and Articles Recommended:

Thakkura Pheru	:	<i>Dravya Pariksha</i> , Engl. Tr. S.R. Sarma.
John Scott Deyell	:	<i>Living Without Silver: The Monetary History of Early Medieval India</i> .
Robert & Monica Tye	:	Jitals: A Catalogue and Account of the coin Denominations of daily use in Medieval Afghanistan and North West India.
Edward Thomas	:	The Chronicles of the Paithan Kings of Delhi.
Nelson Wright	:	The Coinage and Metrology of the Sultans of Delhi.
-do-	:	Catalogue of the Coins in the Indian Museum.
C.J. Rodgers	:	Catalogue of the Government Museum Lahore.
Danish Moin	:	Coins of the Delhi Sultanate.
Irfan Habib	:	Technological changes and Society (13 th and 14 th Century) Presidential Address, Medieval India Section, IHC, December, 1969.
S.Jabir Raza	:	Nomenclature and Titulature of the Early Turkish Sultans of Delhi found in Numismatic legends. In Medieval Indian Coinages, ed., Amiteshwar Jha.
I.A.Zilli	:	Saiyid Sultans of Delhi and the issue of coins in the name of Timurids – Fact or Fiction. In Medieval Indian Coinages.
Qeyamuddin Ahmad	:	Occurance of under weight minting of coins in the reign of Firuz Tughluq, INC. Patna, 1960.

Danish Moin

: Medieval Indian Coins: A Calligraphic Aspect.
Journal of the Numismatic Society of India, 1996.

HSM-XO32: THE VIJAYANAGAR EMPIRE (c. 1350-1565)

Teacher: Dr. Sumbul Halim Khan

Total No. of Lectures – 40

UNIT – I POLITICAL HISTORY

14

- 1- Physical Geography of South India. Its linguistic and Cultural divisions.
- 2- Establishment of the Vijayanagar Empire: Origin of the Vijayanagar Empire, political conditions in the 14th century South India.
- 3- Conflict with the Powers of South and North India: Conflict with the Madura and Bahmani – Kingdom, causes of contention, areas of tussle Tungbhadra Doab, Krishna Godavari delta.
- 4- Phase of expansion Hari Hara 1372-1406, Deva Raya I – 1406-1422.
- 5- Rise of Portuguese power and its relations with Vijayanagar Empire, Commercial treaty with Portuguese.
- 6- Era of Decline: Empire after the death of Krishna Deva Raya, struggle for succession, accession of Sadashiva Raya (1543-1565).

UNIT – II ADMINISTRATION

13

1. Administrative structure of the Empire: Central Administration: Kingship, the Imperial Council and the Secretariat.
2. Provincial Administration:
The extent of the Empire, the Division of the Empire and Burton Stein's thesis of segmentary state Provincial organization, The Nayaks and polygars.
3. Local Administration: Village organization, the Sabha, the Ayagar System, Professional Associations and guilds.
4. Military Organization: Mode of Recruitment, organization, use of fire-arms.

UNIT – III ECONOMY AND CULTURE

13

1. Land Revenue and other taxes.
2. Trade and Industry, Artisans of Vijaynagar
3. The monetary system: The coinage and mints.
4. The city of Vijaynagar.
5. Architecture, and Literature
6. Society and Religion in Vijayanagar

Note: There will be questions, one from each Unit.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

- W. Haig (eds.) : The Cambridge History of India, Vol.III.
T.V. Mahalingam : Administration and social Life under Vijayanagr, 2 Vols.
K.A. Nilkanta Sastri : A History of South India with special reference
K.A. Nilkanta : Further Sources of Vijayanagar History, 3 Vols.
Habib & Nizami (ed.) : Comprehensive History of India Vol. V.
Heras : South India under Vijayanagar Empire
Rama Sharma : The History of Vijayanagar Empire
Konduri Sarojini Devi : Religion in Vijayanagar Empire
Anila Verghese : Religious Traditions at Vijayanagar
William J. Jackson : Vijayanagar Voices: exploring South Indian History and Hindu Literature.

P.N.Chopra : History of South India Vol.II.
Sherwani & Joshi : History Medieval Deccan, Vol. I & II.
K.N. Chitnis : Socio-Economic History of Medieval India.
N. Venkataramanayya : Economic and Administrative life in the Vijayanagar & B.A.Saletore Empire, 2 vols.
A. Dallapiccola : Vijayanagar – City and Empire – New currents in research, 2 vols.

Rebert Sewell : A Forgotten Empire.
S.K. Ayyangar : Source of Vijayanagar Empire
A. Krishnaswami : The Tamil country under Vijayanagar.
N. Venkataramanya : Studies in the History of the Third Dynasty of Vijayanagar.
Burton Stein : Vijayanagar C. 1350-1554 in Cambridge Economic History of India, Vol. I, ed. Tapan Roy Choudhary and Irfan Habib.
Burton Stein : The New Cambridge History of India; Vol. 1-2, Vijayanagara.

ARTICLES:

- Burton Stein : 'The Economic Function of a Medieval South Indian Temple; Journal of Asian Studies, Vol. XIX, February 1960.
Vijaya Ramaswamy : Artisans in Vijayanagar society; IESHR. Vol. XXII, 1985.
G.V.Rao : The Bahmani – Vijayanagar Relations, P.I.H.C. 1938, Allahabad.
Anirudha Ray : The Rise and Fall of Vijayanagar, P.I.H.C., 2003.

HS-X043: MEDIEVAL ARCHAEOLOGY

Teacher: Dr. Syed Ali Nadeem Rezavi

Total Number of Lectures = 40

UNIT – I

12

1. **Defining the Term: ‘Medieval Archaeology’** or Archaeology of the Medieval Period?
2. **Organization of Building Construction in Medieval India:** Historical Sources and Visual Records of Construction of Buildings. Cartography and Map-making: the plans and sketches. The Builders and Craftsmen.
3. **Investigation of Medieval Sites:** Methods & Interpretations. Material remains and artefacts associated with Medieval phase: lime-mortar, *surkhi*, glazed ware & other ceramics.

UNIT – II

14

4. **Reconstruction and Lay-out of Towns during the Early Medieval and Sultanate Period:** Delhi from Lal Kot to Tughluqabad.
5. **Archaeology of the Regions:** Special Study of Gaur, West Bengal and its Settlement Pattern. ‘Rural Settlements’: Kuldhara and Khaba in Western Rajasthan.
6. **Deccan and the South:** Urban Lay-out at Hampi, Champaner and Daulatabad.

UNIT – III

13

7. **Planning the Mughal Town and Sources of Urban Design:** Agra, Fathpur Sikri and Shahjahanabad.
8. **Technical and Economic Archaeology:** Survey of pre-modern installations and structures: water-lifting devices, bridges, dams and barrages.
9. **Towards an Industrial Archaeology in India:** Archaeology and history of pre-modern technology: the indigo vats, paper manufacture, sugar-press mills.

Note: *The candidate will be required to attempt three questions, one from each unit.*

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

R.N. Mehta	<i>Medieval Archaeology</i>
M.S. Mate,	<i>Archaeology of Medieval India</i>
A. Cunningham,	<i>Archaeological Survey of India Reports</i> (Selected sections on Delhi, Sikandara waterworks, bridges etc)
B.R. Mani,	<i>Delhi: Threshold of the Orient (Studies in Archaeological Investigations).</i>
J. Fergusson,	<i>History of Indian and Eastern Architecture</i> , vols. I & II
M.S. Mate &	
T.V. Pathy,	<i>Daulatabad – A Report</i>
Susan Gole	<i>Indian Maps and Plans</i>
G.N. Bahura &	

- Chandramani Singh *Catalogue of Historical Documents in Kapad-dwara Jaipur: Maps and Plans*
- G. Sengupta & S. Panja, (eds.) *Archaeology of Eastern India New Perspectives*
- A.H. Longhurst, *Hampi Ruins*
- George Michell, *The Vijayanagara Courtly Style* (Being vol.III of the Vijayanagara Research Project Monograph series)
- Davison-Jenkins, *The irrigation and Water Supply System of Vijayanagara* (being vol.V of the Vijayanagara Research Project Monograph series)
- R.N. Mehta *Champaner, A Medieval Capital*
- E.W. Smith, *The Moghul Architecture of Fatehpur-Sikri*, 4 vols.
- S.A.A. Rizvi & V.J.A. Flynn, *Fatehpur Sikri*
- R.C. Gaur, *Excavations at Fatehpur Sikri*
- Kenneth Hudson, *Industrial Archaeology*
- K.M. Shrimali (ed.) *Reason and Archaeology*
- K.M. Shrimali (ed.) *Indian Archaeology Since Independence*
- J. Deloche *Ancient Bridges of India*
- R. E. Frykenberg *Delhi Through the Ages*

PAPERS RECOMMENDED:

- R.N. Mehta, “Medieval Archaeology: Approach and Experiences”, *Journal of the MS University of Baroda*, Vol. XXVI, 1976-77
- Jamal A. Siddiqui, “Medieval Archaeology – The Term and its Application”, *Proceedings of the Indian History Congress*, Bodhgaya, 1981
- Iqtidar Alam Khan, “Medieval Archaeology in South Asia”, in I. Alam & E. Husain (ed), *The Varied Facets of History Essays in Honour of Anirudha Ray*, Delhi, 2011, pp. 47-58
- Iqtidar Alam Khan, “Methodologies and Approaches for Medieval Archaeology: A Report of Exploration of Public Buildings and Minor Structures along Mughal Highway”, *Indian Archaeology Since Independence*, ed. K.M. Shrimali, Delhi, 1996
- Iqtidar Alam Khan, “Survey of Indigo Vats at Bayana”, *Environmental Design*, ed. A. Petruccioli, Rome, no. 0, 1984 Iqtidar A. Khan &
- S.A.Nadeem Rezavi, “The Design of Pre-Modern Indigo Vats in Bayana and Jalali Region”, *Journal of the Asiatic Society*, vol. LI, no.3, 2009
- S.A. Nadeem Rezavi, “Applying Industrial Archaeology to Medieval India – Paper and Indigo Manufacture”, presented in the panel on ‘Science and Technology in India’s Past’, held on 29th December, New Delhi, 2007
- S.A. Nadeem Rezavi, “Kuldihara in Jaisalmer State: Social and Economic Implications of the Remains of a Medieval Settlement”, *Proceedings of the Indian History Congress*, Calcutta, 1995

- Irfan Habib ‘Cartography in Mughal India’, *Medieval India — a Miscellany*, ed.K.A. Nizami, Vol.IV, Bombay, 1977
- Mehrdad Shokoohi & Natalie Shokoohi, “Tughluqabad, the Earliest Surviving Town of Delhi Sultanate”, *Bulletin of the School of Oriental and African Studies*, vol.57, no.3 1994
- Mehrdad Shokoohi & Natalie Shokoohi, “The Dark Gate, the Dungeons, the Royal Escape Route and More: Survey of Tughluqabad, Second Interim Report”, *Bulletin of the School of Oriental and African Studies*, vol.62, no.3 1999
- Mehrdad Shokoohi & Natalie Shokoohi, “Tughluqabad, Third Interim Report: Gates Silos, Waterworks and other features”, *Bulletin of the School of Oriental and African Studies*, vol.66, no.1 2003
- Attilio Petruccioli, “Process Evolved by Control Systems of Urban Design in the Mughal Epoch in India: the Case of Fatehpur Sikri”, *Environmental Design*, no.0, 1984
- Davar Satish, “Imperial Workshops at Fatehpur Sikri: The Kitchen”, *Art and Archaeology Research Papers*, London, June 1974
- Aniruddha Ray, “Archaeological Reconnaissance at the City of Gaur – A Preliminary Report”, *Pratna Sameeksha*, vols. II & III
- Ratnabali Chatterjee, “Archaeology and Nationalism: The Case of Medieval Gaur”, *The Making of History Essays Presented to Irfan Habib*, ed. KN Panikkar, TJ Byres & Utsa Patnaik
- Ratnabali Chatterjee, “Historians Among Archaeologists Exploring Urban Sites of Medieval Bengal”, in I. Alam & E. Husain (ed), *The Varied Facets of History Essays in Honour of Anirudha Ray*, Delhi, 2011, pp. 27-46

HS-XO15: ECONOMIC HISTORY OF INDIA, 1853-1914

Teachers: Dr. Parwez Nazir

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

1. Demographic trends in the period 1800-1914:
 - a. Rate of population growth.
 - b. The “de-urbanization” controversy.
2. The Railways:
“Imperialism of Free Trade:” Economic and political impulses behind Railway construction.
Progress of construction: costs; nationalist Criticism.
3. Economic Consequences of Railways:
Unification and subjugation of the Indian market; Effect on prices; Export of raw materials.

UNIT-II

4. Impact of colonialization on agrarian economy: Commercialization of Agriculture: After Railway Construction; Export crops; Irrigation; Modern Landlordism; Land and market; Tenancy, Growth of Landless labour; Famines.
5. Commercial and industrial entrepreneurship:
Rise of Cotton textile industry, and impediments to its growth. Jute, coal, Iron and Steel; sources of indigenous capital.
6. The Drain of Wealth and India’s position in British overseas trade during the Railway Age.

UNIT-III

7. The fiscal system; shift from direct to indirect taxation. Nationalist criticism. Tariff, Excise and Monetary Policies, 1858-1914.
8. Movement of wages. Growth of industrial labour, Conditions in industries and plantations.
9. Movement of national and per-capita income after 1858. The divergent assumptions and estimates.

Dadabhai Naoroji : *Poverty and un-British Rule in India*, pp.1-50. Unit-II

C.J. Hamilton : *The Trade Relations between England and India 1600-1896*, Chapter IX, pp.231-60. Unit-II

William Digby : *Prosperous British India-A Revelation from Official Record: Chingiz. IV, Famine*. Unit-II

Note: There will be five questions one from each Unit, out of these one requiring comments on passages from the Documents

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

- Romesh Dutt : *The Economic History of India*, vol. I & II.
- Irfan Habib : *Indian Economy 1857-1914*.
- Irfan Habib : *Essays in Indian History – Towards a Marxist Perception (relevant essays)*
- A. Siddiqui : *Agrarian change in Northern India*.
- Kingsley Davis : *The Population of India and Pakistan*.
- D.B. Bhattacharya : *Census of India, 1961: Report on the Population Estimate of India*.
- E.E. Frykenberg (ed.) : *Land Control and Social Structure in Indian History*.
- Dharma Kumar (ed.) : *Cambridge Economic History of India, Vol.II*.
- M.Mc. Alpin : *Subject to Famine*.
- D.R. Gadgil : *Industrial Evolution of India*.
- B.M. Bhatia : *Famines in India*.
- D.H. Buchanan : *The Development of Capitalist Enterprise in India*.
- R. Chandavarkar : *The Origins of Industrial Capitalism in India, Cambridge, 1994*.
- C.D. Deshmukh : *Economic Development in India*.
- Amiya Kumar Bagchi : *Private Investment in India 1900-1939*.
- R.S. Rungta : *Rise of Business Corporations in India 1851-1900*.
- A.I. Levkovsky : *Capitalism in India*
- R.W. Goldsmith : *The Financial Development of India 1860-1970*.
- T.R. Metcalf : *Land, Landlords and the British Raj Northern Indian in the 19th century*.
- B.N. Ganguli : *Dadabhai Naoroji and the Drain Theory*.
- Bipan Chandra : *The Rise and Growth of Economic nationalism in India*.
- Brij Narain : *Economic Life, Past & Present*.
- A.G.L. Shaw (ed.) : *Great Britain and the Colonies*.
- Surendra J. Patel : *Agricultural Labourer in India & Pakistan*.
- V.B. Singh (ed.) : *Economic History of India (1850-1950)*
- Angus Maddison : *Class Structure & Economic Growth in India and Pakistan since the Mughals. Modern Asian Studies, on Cambridge Economic History of India, vol. 19, No.3, 1985*.
- Tan Chung : *China and the Brave New World (Selected Portions only)*.
- A.K. Banerji : *Aspects of Indo-British Economic Relations 1858-1898*.
- D. Rothermund : *Economic History of India from pre-colonial times to 1986*.

RESEARCH PAPERS RECOMMENDED:

- S.C. Mishra : “Commercialization, peasant differentiation and merchant capital in late 19th century” *Journal of Peasant Studies*. Vol. II, No.1, 1982.

- Morris D. Morris : 'The Indian Economy in the Nineteenth Toru Matsui, Bipan Century', A Symposium, Delhi, 1968, Chandra & T. Ray Chaudhuri I.E.S.H.R., Vol.V., No.1
- Meghnad Desai : 'Demand for cotton textiles in Nineteenth century India', I.E.S.H.R., vol. VIII, No.4, 1971.
- Morris D. Morris : 'The Population of all India 1800-1951', I.E.S.H.R, Vol. XI 1974.
- S. Bhattacharya : 'Laissez-Faire in India', I.E.S.H.R, January 1965.
- S. Bhattacharya : 'Cultural and Social Constraints in Technological Innovation', I.E.S.H.R, Vol. III, No.3, Sept. 1966, pp.241-67.
- Shireen Moosvi : 'De-industrialization, population change and migration in 19th century India', IHR, No.17, 1993:'The Indian Economic Experience 1600-1900- A Quantitative Study' A Maddison and H. Van der Wee, ed. *Economic Growth and Structural change: comparative Approaches over the Long run*, Italy, 1994.
- Sulekh Chandra Gupta : "Agrarian Structure in U.P. in the late 18th and early 19th centuries" *Contributions to Indian Economic History*, ed., T. Raychaudhuri, pp.21-45.
- Marika Vicziany : "The Deindustrialization of India in the Nineteenth Century: A Methodological critique of Amiya Kumar Bagchi", I.E.S.H.R, Vol. XVI, No.2, 1979, pp.105-146.
- Amiya K. Bagchi : "A Reply", I.E.S.H.R, Vol. XVI, No.2, pp.147-162.
- K. Thavaraj : "Pattern of Public Investment in India 1900-1939", pp.36-56.
- Angus Maddison, : "Alternative Estimates of the real product of India, 1900-46", I.E.S.H.R, Vol. XXII, No.2, 1985, pp.201-210.
- Asiya Siddiqui : "The Business World of Jamsetjee Jejeebhoy", I.E.S.H.R, vol. XIX No. 324, pp.301-324.
- Amalendu Guha : "Assamese Agrarian Society in late 19th Century roots, Structures and Trends", I.E.S.H.R, XVII, No.1, 1980, pp.35-94.
- Tairthankar Ray, : *Traditional Industry in the Economy of colonial India.*

HSM-XO16: GROWTH OF INDIAN CAPITALISM 1920-1940

Teacher: Dr. M. Sajjad

Total No. of Lectures 40

Unit – I

1. Indian Capital in Post world war I period.
2. Indian capitalists and Industry after the WW-I.
3. The FICCI and other associations of Indian capitalist.

Unit – II

4. British and India capitalist enterprises – 1919-47.
5. Effects of the Great Defression on the Indian capital.
6. The RBI and other Indian banks.

Unit – III

7. The Bombay Plan and its significance
8. Problems of Indian capital and Industry after Partition, 1947.

READING LIST:

Bipan Chandra	:	Nationalism and colonialism in Modern India.
DR Gadgil	:	The Industrial Evolution of India (1860-1939)
VI Parlor	:	The Indian capitalist class.
D.H. Buchanan	:	‘The Development of Capitalistic Enterprise in India’
A.L.Levkovsky	:	‘Capitalism in India: Basic trends in its Development’.
Dharma Kumar ed.	:	‘The Cambridge Economic History of India’ Vol. II, 1757-1970.
Angus Maddison	:	‘Class structure and Economic Growth in India and
Pakistan since the Mughals’ Goldsmith	:	‘Financial Development of India’ 1860-1977.
S.D.Mehta	:	‘The Indian cotton Textile Industry, An economic Analysis
(Bombay 1953).	:	
S.D.Mehta	:	‘The cotton Mills of India’ 1854-1954.
M.D. Morris	:	‘The Emergence of an Industrial labor force in India’.
B.Shiva Rao	:	‘The Industrial Worker in India’.
K.M.Mukerjee	:	‘Notes on the Rise of the Business communities in India.
R.S.Rungta	:	‘The Rise of Business corporations in India’.
P.S.Lokanathan	:	‘Industrial organization in India’.
LC Jain	:	‘Indigenous Banking in India’.
S.K. Muranjan	:	‘Modern Banking in India’.

PAPERS:

Desai, Ashoke V.	:	‘Origins of Parsi Enterprise’, IESHR, Vol.V (4) Dec. 1968.
Bhattacharya, S.	:	‘Laissez Faire in India’, IESHR, (1) Jan 1965.
Sen, A.K.	:	‘Surplus Labour in India’, Economic Journal, Vol. LXXVII, March 1967, pp. 154-61.
Morris, M.D.	:	‘Private Industrial Investment on Modern Indian
Subcontinent’, -- 1900-1937’, Modern Asian Studies, 8, 1947.	:	

HSM-XO33: AWADH-1722-1856

Teacher: Dr. Parvez Nazir

No. of Lectures = 40

Unit-I

14

1. Emergence of Awadh as an Autonomous State:

- a. Saadat Khan Burhan-ul Mulk 1720-1739, as the first Nawab of Awadh. Expansion of the Viceroyalty. The Marathas and the Battle of Karnal.
- b. Abul Mansur Khan Safdar Jang's government of Awadh 1739-1754: Suppression of rebellious chiefs; encounters with Bangash Nawabs of Farrukhabad. The first and second Pathan Wars and their results: Safdar Jang's return to Awadh.

2. Awadh Developments leading to British Hegemony:

- a. Shuja-ud Daula, assumption of power. Battle of Buxar and subsequent alliance. The Rohilla War.
- b. Asaf-al Daula's administration and the growth of the provincial court 1775-1798.

Unit-II

13

1. Awadh Under Subsidiary Alliance – 1798-1827:

- a. The Treaty of 1801. Saadat Ali Khan as a ruler and administrator.
- b. Ghazialuddin Haider (1814-1827) and his administrative reforms.

2. Two Decades of Nawabi Rule (1827-1847):

- a. Nasiruddin Haider, Mohammad Ali Shah and Amjad Ali Shah as rulers
- b. Relations with the East India Company. The 'Disapproved' treaty of 1837.

Unit-III

14

1. Nawabi Regime: The Last Phase (1847-1856):

- a. Wajid Ali Shah and the British criticism of maladministration.
- b. The annexation of Awadh (1856): motives behind annexation and its consequences.

2. Economy, Society and Culture:

- a. Agrarian Structure. The rise of the *Taluqdars* and the Taluqdari system.
- b. Emergence of Lucknow as a political and cultural centre.
- c. Development of art and Architecture under the Nawabs.

Note: There will be three questions one from each section.

Books Recommended:

Ahmad, Safi : *British Residents at the court of Awadh 1764-1856.*

- Ahmad, Safi : *Two Kings of Awadh, Muhammad Ali Shah and Amjad Ali Shah, (1837-1847).*
- Ali Asghar, Mirza : *King Wajid Ali Shah of Awadh, 2 volumes.*
- Barnett, R.B. : *North India Between Empires Awadh, The Mughal and the British, 1720-1801.*
- Bayly, C.A. : *Rulers, Townsmen and Bazzars, North Indian Society in the age of British Expansion, 1770-1870.*
- Bhatnagar, G.D. : *Awadh Under Wajid Ali Shah.*
- Butter, Donall : *Topography and Statistics of Southern Districts of Oudh.*
- Fisher, Michael H. : *A Clash of Cultures; Awadh, the British and the Mughals.*
- Hilton, Edward H. : *Mutiny Records; Oudh and Lucknow (1856-57).*
- Hoey, W., Trans : *History of Asafud Daulah, Nawab Wazir of Awadh, (trans of Tafzihul Ghafilin of Abu Talib).*
- Irwin, H.C. : *The Garden of India or Chapters on Oudh History and Affairs.*
- Jafri, Saiyid Zaheer Husain: *Studies in the Anatomy of Transformation: Awadh from Mughal to Colonial Rule.*
- Khan, Masihuddin : *British Aggression of Awadh, ed. Safi Ahmad, Reprint.*
- Knighton, William : *Nawab Nasiruddin Haider of Oudh; His life and pastimes.*
- Llewellyn Jones, R. : *The Fatal Friendship: The Nawabs, the British and the City of Lucknow.*
- Majumdar, R.C., ed. : *British Paramountcy and Indian Renaissance, (1818-1905).*
- Mukerji, A.C. : *Oudh Dynasty.*
- Mukherji, Rudrangshu : *Awadh in Revolt 1857-1858: A Study of Popular Resistance.*
- Muzaffar Alam : *The Crisis of Empire in Mughal North India, Awadh and Punjab, 1707-98.*
- Pamble, John : *The Raj., the Indian Mutiny and the Kingdom of Oudh 1801-1859.*
- Qureshi, H.A. : *Sources of Awadh: From 1772 A.D., to 1856 A.D.*
- Qureshi, H.A. : *The Flickers Of An Independent Nawabi: (Nawab Wazir Ali Khan of Awadh), 2 volumes.*
- Qureshi, H.A. : *The Mughals, the English and the Rulers of Awadh: From 1772 AD to 1856 AD., A Kaleidoscopic Study.*
- Ray, Aniruddha : *Rebel Nawab of Awadh; Revolt of Vizir Ali Khan, 1799.*
- Saksena, Ram Babu : *History of the Urdu Literature.*
- Sharar, Abdul Halim : *Lucknow: The Last Phase of An Oriental Culture, Trans & Ed. By E.S. Harcourt and Fakhir Husain.*
- Sleeman, P.D. (ed.) : *Journey Through Oudh (under title Sleem in Oudh), ed., P.D. Raeves.*
- Srivastava, Ashirbodilal : *The First Two Nawabs of Awadh.*
- Srivastava, Ashirbodilal: *Shuja ud-Daula, vol. I & vol. II.*

HS-XO34: INDIAN SOCIETY AND CULTURE DURING THE FIRST HALF OF THE 20TH CENTURY

Teacher: Dr. Roohi Abida Ahmed (W.C.)

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

- 1. INFLUENCES RECEIVED FROM MODERN EUROPEAN SOCIAL THOUGHT 6**
 - a. John Stuart Mill and British liberalism.
 - b. Socialism: Karl Marx.
 - c. Pacifism: John Ruskin and Leo Tolstoy.
- 2. SOCIAL AND RELIGIOUS REFORM MOVEMENTS: 7**
 - a. Re-interpretations of Hinduism: Vivekanand.
 - b. Rabindranath Tagore and his interpretations of Indian thought and culture.
 - c. Growth of Arya Samaj after Dayanand.

UNIT-II

- 3. MODERN TRENDS IN ISLAMIC THOUGHT: 5**
 - a. Shibli Nomani
 - b. Iqbal
 - c. Abul Kalam Azad
- 4. NATIONALISM AND SOCIAL REFORMS: 5**

The Reformers: Justice *M.G. Ranade*; Gokhale. The nationalist critics of reform; *Tilak*.
- 5. The Lower-Caste Movements: Phule; Ambedkar. 5**

UNIT-III

- 6. GANDHIAN SOCIAL PHILOSOPHY: 5**

Its sources. Ideas on religion and civilization; social reform; emphasis on villages; Women's rights; Harijan uplift; struggle against casteism.
- 7. MODERN EDUCATION, LITERATURE AND PRESS: 7**
 - a. Development of Universities.
 - b. The National Movement and Education, 1906 to the Wardha Scheme.
 - c. Progressive Writers' Movement
 - d. The Press

Note: Candidates will be expected to attempt three questions, one from each Unit.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

A – BOOKS:-

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| RC Majumdar | - British Paramountcy and Indian Renaissance, Vol. II. |
| L.S.S.O., Malley | - Modern India and the West. |
| Eric Stokes | - The English utilitarians and India |
| BB Misra | - Indian Middle Classes. |
| S.C. Sarkar | - Notes on the Bengal Renaissance. |
| N.K. Bose | - Culture and Society in India. |
| K.M.Panikkar | - The Foundations of New India. |
| J. Bossert | - India, Land, People and culture. |
| V. Brodov | - Indian Philosophy in Modern times, Moscow, 2 nd print, 1988, Part-2 (Vivekanand and others). |
| R.C. Majumdar | - Swami Vivekanand: A Historical Review, Calcutta, 1965. |
| H. Imsath | - Indian Nationalism and Hindu Social Reform. |
| Lajpat Rai | - The Arya Samaj, reprint, Delhi, 1989. |
| D.S. Sarma | - Hindusim Through the Ages, Bombay, 1956. |
| Radhakrishnan | - Hindu view of Life. |
| -do- | - Introductions of brahma Sutra & Bhagavadgita. |
| -do- | - Philosophy of Rabindranath Tagore. |
| A Schimmel | - Gabriel's Wing. |
| Murray Titus | - Islam in India and Pakistan. |
| WC Smith | - Modern Islam in India. |
| M.Iqbal | - Reconstruction of Religious Thought in Islam. |
| Moin Shakir | - <i>Khilafat to Partition</i> . |
| Farquhar | - Modern Religious Movements in India. |
| C.H. Philips | - Evolution of India and Pakistan (Selected Docs.) |
| K.S. Bharathi | - Social Philosophy of Mahatma Gandhi, New Delhi, 1991. |
| M.K.Gandhi | - Hind Swaraj. |
| -do- | - An Autobiography or the story of My Experiments with Truth (Eng. tr.) |
| Tufail Ahmad Manglori | - Towards A Common Destiny: A Nationalist Manifesto (Eng. tr.) |
| Wolpert, Stanley | - Tilak and Gokhale: Revolution and Reform in the making of Modern India, Clifornia University, 1962. |
| W.N. Kuber | - Ambedkar, New Delhi, 1979. |

B-ARTICLES:-

1. A. Yusuf Ali, "The Religion of Rabindranath Tagore", *Islamic Culture*, Vol. IV, No.1, Jan. 1930 pp.114-129.
2. *Indo-Iranica*, Iqbal Number, Vol. 31, March & June, 1978.
3. Ata Karim Burke, "Maulana Azad and His Tarjuman-ul Quran", *Indo-Iranica*, Vol. 32, No. 182, March & June, 1979, pp.30-43.

HS-X036: MODERN PEASANT MOVEMENTS IN INDIA TILL 1947

Teacher: Dr. M. K. Pundhir

Total No. of Lectures - 40

Unit- I

1. Basic preliminaries for studying Peasant Movements: 07

Definition of Peasant.

Class consciousness.

Family and Kinship Ties.

Caste and Peasantry in India.

Village Organisation of Social Life.

Marxist definitions of Strata: Rich, Middle and Poor Peasant.

2. “Peasant Autonomy” vs. “Elite Mobilization” debate. 05

Commercialization of Agriculture and its impact on land relations.

Unit- II

3. Peasant Movements (1900-1927): 07

Champan Satyagraha.

Kheda Movement.

Moplah Uprising, Leadership and Political Mobilization.

Assessment of Peasant Struggle of the twenties:

 Their nature and distinctive features

 Nature of Organization

 Means of Mobilization

 The reasons for their limited success

4. Peasant Movements(1928-47): 07

Bardoli Agitation(1928).

Peasant Movements During Civil Disobedience(1930-34).

Formation of the first All Indian Kishan Sabha(1936).

Peasant unrest 1946-47.

Telengana Uprising.

Tibhaga Movement.

Unit- III

5. National Movement and Indian Peasantry: 09

Gandhiji's Agrarian Vision and his rural reconstruction programme.

Congress and the Peasantry; Karachi Resolution and after.

Agrarian Programme of the Congress Ministries 1937-39.

The Indian left and the Peasantry:

 The Workers and Peasants Parties (1926)

 C.P.I.

6. Historiography of the Peasant Movements in India: 05

Studies of Major writings of the Liberal, Marxist and Subaltern Schools.
Critiques.

Note: There will be three questions, one from each section.

Books Recommended:

- R.C. Dutt : The Economic History of India, Voll. II.
Gyan Pandey : The Ascendency of the Congress in Uttar Pradesh: A Study in Imperfect Mobilization.
Majid Hayat Siddiqui : Agrarian Unrest in North India; The United Provinces (1918-22).
A.R.desai(ed.) : Peasant Struggles in India.
Sumit Sarkar : Modern India
D.N.Dhanagre : Peasant Movements in India.
Kapil Kumar : Peasant in Revolt : Tenants, Congress and the Raj in Oudh, 1886-1922.
T.R.Metcalf : Land, Landlords and the British Raj.
Andre Beteille : Studies in Agrarian Social Structure.
Girja Shankar : Socialist Trends in Indian National Movement
Peter Reeves : Landlords and Governments in Uttar Pradesh.
Teodor Shanin : Peasants and Peasant Societies, England 1971.
Kapil Kumar : Congress and Classes.
Sukhbir Chaudhary : Peasants and Workers Movement in India (1905-29).
Shiv Kumar : Peasantry and the Indian National Movement.
Mridula Mukherjee : Peasants in India's Non Violent Revolution: Practice & Theory See New Delhi, 2004.
LRS Lakshmi : "The Malabar Muslims – A Different Perspective" Foundation Books, CUP, New Delhi, 2011.

ARTICLES RECOMMENDED:

- Bipen Chandra : "Colonialism and Modernization" in *Nationalism and Colonialism in Modern India*
Irfan Habib : "Peasant in Indian History", Presidential Address delivered at the 43th Session of the I.H.C., 1992.
Aditya Mukherjee : "The Workers and Peasants Parties, 1926-30: An Aspect of Communism in India" in Bipen Chandra(ed.), *The Indian Left*.
K.Gopalankutty : "The Integration of Anti Landlord Movement with the Movement against Colonialism" in *Subaltern Studies* Vols. I to VI.
Mridula Mukherjee : "Peasant Resistance and Peasant Consciousness in Colonial

- India; Subalterns and beyond”, *Economic and Political Weekly*, Oct, 8 and 15, 1988.
- David Hardiman : “The Crisis Of Lesser Pattidars Agitations in the Kheda District, Gujrat, 1917-34” in D.A.Low (ed.) *Congress and Raj*.
- Gyan Pandey : “A Rural base for Congress: The United Provinces, 1920-40”,
- D.N.Dhanagare : “Agrarian Conflict, Religion and Politics: the Moplah Rebellions in Malabar in the late 19s and early 20s centuries”, *Past and Present*, Feb, 1977.
- Andre Beteille : “The Indian Village: Past and Present” in E.J. Hobsbawm, et.
- Al. (ed.) *Peasants in History*.
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HSM-XO37: INDIA SINCE INDEPENDENCE, 1947-1991: POLITICAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE HISTORY

Teacher: Dr. Mohd. Sajjad

Total No. of Lectures = 40

UNIT-I

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Independence, Partition and the Constitution of Sovereign India

1. The Colonial Heritage; Political and Administrative set up of India at Independence; Princely States and their accession to India; Bureaucracy and the Army.
2. The Political vision of the Constitution; the Preamble; Fundamental Rights; Directive Principles of State Policy; Federalism, Centre-State Relations.

UNIT-II

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Dominance of the Congress, Emergency and Challenges to the Congress hegemony (1948-85)

3. **The Nehruvian Era:** Domestic Policies, Creation of Centralized government, Multi Party democracy, Factors behind electoral successes of the Congress. Nehru's Foreign Policy: Non Aligned Movement, Panchsheel, Relations with USSR and with the Neighbouring states, Indo- Pak wars, Chinese Aggression
4. **Post-Nehruvian Era:** Domestic Policies of Indira; Changes in Centre-State Relations, Politicization of the lower classes, Shifts in the social support base of the Congress, Emergency and its political consequences; Foreign Policy: Indo-Pak wars of 1967 and 1971, Simla Agreement.

UNIT-III

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Mandir, Mandal and the Loss of the Congress Hegemony (1985-91)

5. Communalization of the Indian Politics: Factors behind the resurgence of the Sangh Pariwar; The politics of the Ayodhya movement and the BJP's political expansion.
6. Assertion of the lower castes in Indian politics, Lower castes in south India, Mandalization of the Indian Politics, Dalit Movements, Emergence of the BSP, Caste based politics and the collapse of the Congress hegemony.

Note: There shall be three questions, one from each Unit.

Books Recommended:

Paul R. Brass : *Politics of India since Independence*, Cambridge

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- Frankel and Rao (eds.) : *Dominance and State Power in India: Decline of a Social Order*, OUP, 1989, vol. I & II.
- Rudolph and Rudolph : *In Pursuit of Lakshmi: The Political Economy of the Indian State*, Orient Longman, 1987
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- Christophe Jeffrolet : *India's Silent Revolution: Rise of Low Caste Politics in North India* Permanent Black, 2005).
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HS-XO38:ENVIRONMENT AND ECOLOGY IN COLONIAL INDIA
Teacher: Dr. Mohammad Parwez **No. of Lectures = 40**

Objective:- In recent years it has become impossible to talk about man without referring to his relation to ecology and environment. The ecological settings or environmental condition has emerged as an important factor in shaping social formations. The purpose of the course is not to account for the ecology of our time but what it was prior to its recent ascent to importance. There are compelling reasons for seeking such a historical perspective, what ecology has not revealed us about nature and how the living world has been perceived through the aid of science of ecology is thus the main theme of this study. Its modern history begins in the 18th century, when more comprehensive way to looking at earth's fabric of life has emerged, which also sought to describe all living organisms as an interacting whole, referred as "economy of nature"

The recent growth in the public consciousness about ecology/environment and their role in defining the contours of social formations are sufficient reasons for the introduction of this course. This is expected to provide knowledge about state of environment ecology in historical period particularly its role in shaping societies.

UNIT-I

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1. (a) Theory of the history of environment/ecology Ecology in the 18th Century; Thoreau's theory on Ecology, Darwinian ecology
(b) Pioneers of ecology; Eugenius Warming, Frederic Clements.
(C) Brief Survey of the Geological ages, and Geographical Zones (*forests, Mountains, river systems, Oceans, deserts, with reference to India.*
2. Habitats in the human history; historical modes: Gathering, Pastoralism, Settled Cultivation (agriculture) and Industrial. Theory of Evolution
3. Environment and Ecology in the Pre-colonial Indian ethos & Philosophy (Indigenous Knowledge): Brief Survey.
 - a. Pre-historical & Ancient India
 - b. Medieval IndiaWith reference to Arthasasra, Buddhist & Jain literature, Abul Fazl.

Unit-II

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4. Imperialism of Environment:
 - (a) Colonial Conquest and ecological changes in India.
 - (i) Policies of Colonial State
 - (ii) Colonial Foresters and the Agendas of Forest Management.
 - (iii) Hunters & Colonialism in 18-19th century.
 - (iv) Role of "Colonial scientists" in understanding of Indian climatic condition.
5. Ecological Demands & Impact of Colonialism.
 - (a) Trade in Forest Products (timber) & State Policies.

- (b) Deforestation & Agrarian distress with reference to Ganga-Yamuna Doab 1800-1850; land use.
6. Development of Mining and ecological perspectives, Coal & Iron Mine.

Unit-III

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7. Colonial Forest Management & Impact on Indigenous Societies.
 (a) Forest Management till 1947; Conflicts in colonial Forest Policies
 (b) Colonial Forest Regulations & Collective resistance.
8. Natural Disaster; Floods, famines and Earthquake; Consequences response of colonial state. Impact on Indigenous Societies.
9. (a) Wild Life: *Status & Conservation policy of the Colonial state.*
 (b) Modern Industry & environment till 1960.

Note: There will be three questions one from each Unit.

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